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A HAMLIN AIRMAN visiting the other day from his base, was telling homefolks here the following story:

A pilot was flying a plane containing two atom bombs when both of his motors went dead. He made for the nearest airport.

"This is Smith," he radioed, "flying at 20,000, two atom bombs aboard, both motors dead, what instructions?"

No response. At 10,000 feet the same message came through. No response. At 2,000 feet he blasted out again. This time he got a response.

"Smith, this is O'Brien. Repeat after me . . . 'Our Father which art in heaven'."

AUTHOR of the thought-provoking ode on the power of words below is unknown, but the squib is worth repeating:

A careless word may kindle strife,
A cruel word may wreck a life,
A bitter word may hate instill;
A brutal word may smite and kill,
A gracious word may smooth the way;

A joyous word may light the day,
A timely word may lessen woes;
A loving word may heal and bless!

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ONE OF THE big mysteries of a married fellow's existence is exemplified in the dilemma suggested by a Hamlin man, who opines:

"Why does a woman wait up for her husband until 3:00 o'clock in the morning and ask him where he has been and what he has been doing, when she is determined from the outset not to believe a thing he says?"

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IT MUST have been a gruesome act of beautifying for the Hamlin fellow who went into the Rotan barber shop the other day. This conversation was reported to have taken place:

Barber—"Was your tie red when you came in?"

Hamlin Man in Chair—"No."

Barber—"Gosh!"

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WE PRINTED this bit of philosophy about five years ago in this column, so maybe a few of our readers now had not seen it.

Some fellows can get away with anything. There's one in our neighborhood that does.

Morals don't mean a thing to him. He doesn't care what the neighbors say or think. He has no regard for truth or law. The duties of the so-called good citizen are just so much bunk as far as he's concerned. He doesn't vote at either the primaries or the general election. He never thinks of paying a bill.

We have seen him take a \$2 taxi ride without giving the driver so much as a pleasant look. The driver only stared at him and muttered something silly. He won't work a lick; he won't go to church. He neglects his appearance terribly. He's so indolent he'd let the house burn down before he'd turn in an alarm. The telephone can ring itself to pieces and he won't bother to answer it. But we'll say this for him—in spite of all his faults, he comes of a good family. He's our new baby!

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THE EXPRESSION "middle age" is probably the most definite expression in the English language.

To the very young man of 19 or 20, a man 35 is middle-aged. When he gets about 25, the middle-aged man is about 40. Then, when he gets to 40, middle age is advanced to 55 or 60. When he gets 50, he doesn't use the expression any more.

And for the ladies, God bless 'em, there is no problem. They stay 40 until they turn 70.

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A VERY MILITARY major at an overseas post was discussing the program with a troupe show girls sent out to entertain men.

"And," said the major, "at 1700 hours, if you like, you girls can pass with the enlisted men."

"Sure," answered a blonde, "but I'll have to get something to eat first."

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FOUR IS UNIMPORTANT

"Hey, what time is it by your watch?"

"Quarter to."

"Quarter to what?"

"I don't know—things got so bad that I had to lay off one of my hands."



ANOTHER IN THE SERIES of Mystery Farm Pictures being run by The Herald is shown above. First person, other than the owner and his family, to correctly identify the view will be given a one-year subscription to Your Home Town Paper. In order to give readers of the paper living on the rural routes an equal chance at the identifying, no answers will be accepted before 1:00 p. m. Friday, either in person or telephoning to the paper office. The original aerial picture will be presented to the owner by The Herald.

Mass Meeting Next Friday to Talk Future of Civic Program

Future Campaign Work Dependent On United Action

Community-wide mass meeting of citizens interested in the promotional and civic activities for the Hamlin territory has been called for next Friday evening, May 13, by President Delma Shelburne of the Hamlin Chamber of Commerce.

The session has been called for 8:00 o'clock at the Primary School auditorium. Shelburne will preside. The meeting will be open for discussions by all attendants, with community projects and the future of the Chamber of Commerce being the central topic.

Directors of the CC point out that the organization is expected to carry on numerous civic and community projects all the time, furnishing a manager who will do everything from answer correspondence about the city's and community's facilities, to running errands on promotions, campaigns, drives, etc., yet only a little more than half of the business concerns and professional men are supporting the organization financially.

"Hamlin now is in a favored position for continued growth and expansion," Shelburne declares, "and is economically one of the strongest little cities in all Central West Texas, but united effort

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Two Hamlin School Bands Rated as Fair In Regional Competition at Abilene

Two bands from Hamlin last week-end were rated fair in the regional Interscholastic League band and orchestra competition festival at Abilene.

Participating in the appearances were the 40-piece Hamlin High School Band and the 38-piece Junior High School Band, both

Scouters of Territory Attend Annual Meet For Northern District

Several Hamlin Scouters and their wives were due to attend the annual Northern District meeting of the Chisholm Trail Council of Boy Scouts yesterday (Thursday) afternoon at the Stamford Country Club.

Beginning at 7:00 o'clock, the dinner was to precede an important business meeting of the district committee, commissioners and leaders, according to Rae Eastland, district chairman.

Speaker at the annual business session was to be Nib Shaw of Abilene, council president. Veteran awards were to be made. District officers for the new year were to be elected, and separate meetings of the six operating committees and commissioners were on the evening's agenda.



EVANGELIST in the eight-day revival services beginning Sunday at the Calvary Baptist Church, located on South Central Avenue, will be Dr. W. J. Dorman (above), dean of Jacksonville Baptist College. Leading the singing will be Carl Campbell of Goree. Pastor W. C. Rea and his congregation invite the public to attend the services.

Otis Perry Preaches at North Central Church

Rev. Otis Perry, ministerial student at Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene, filled the pulpit at both services of the North Central Avenue Baptist Church Sunday in the absence of the pastor, Rev. Woodrow McHugh.

Rev. McHugh was confined to the hospital for several days with a throat ailment, but was released Tuesday.

Second of Polio Vaccine Shots to Be Given Friday

Second vaccination shots in the Salk polio vaccine for children of the first and second grades in the schools of Hamlin were scheduled to be administered today (Friday) according to Superintendent I. R. Huchingson.

A doctor of the staff at Hamlin Memorial Hospital was due to assist Mrs. Bobby Crowley, the school health nurse, in administering the vaccine. Women from the Parent-Teacher Association also were to cooperate in the immunization.

About 230 children of the Hamlin Primary School and DePriest Colored School received the first in the series of three shots in the polio immunization program administered on May 22. The third and final shot in the series is due to be given seven months from now under the direction of the family physician of the children, and the third shot will be paid for by the families, Huchingson pointed out. The first two vaccinations are being handled without charge to the students.

Littlefield Man Will Open Hamlin Studio

Opening of a photo studio and camera shop in the Wilson building, just south of White Auto Store, next Monday has been announced this week by Larry Marsh, who comes from Littlefield.

Marsh has been manager of a studio in Littlefield for five years, and has been a photographer for 15 years.

of which were under the direction of Jess Partish.

Taking part in the festivities at McMurry College were about 3,360 students representing 46 high and junior high schools.

Schools receiving special award ratings were Roscoe, Has-kell, Rotan, Coleman, San Angelo Senior High School, South Junior High School of Abilene, Robert E. Lee Junior High School and orchestra of San Angelo, and Abilene High School.

To attain a Division I rating a band or orchestra was required to make the best possible performance in a particular event in its class. While the various classes were based on enrollment, the ratings were judged on a scale and any number of groups could rate in the top division or in a lower division.

Bands were judged on sight reading, concert playing and marching. To secure a special award the group must have received a top rating in all phases.

Hamlin High School Band was rated second division in marching, second in concert playing and third in sight reading. Hamlin Junior High School was given no rating on marching, third in concert playing and fourth in sight reading.

Work to Start Next Week On Swimming Pool in City

Merkel C. of C. Position Assumed By Onis Crawford

Onis Crawford assumed his new position as secretary-manager of the Merkel Chamber of Commerce Monday morning. He had resigned a similar position with the Hamlin CC two weeks ago, after serving in that capacity since June, 1954.

Crawford's new position at Merkel was tendered him several weeks ago at a nice increase in salary and expense money. Merkel has recently reorganized its civic organization and adopted a budget of \$11,000 per year, according to officials from the West Taylor County town. The community is on a boom as a result of activity created by the Abilene Air Force Base and oil operations in the Merkel region.

Crawford, a native of Hamlin, moved as a lad with his family to Stamford, but returned here in 1941, where he was engaged in several businesses. He has been prominent in civic and church affairs, and has been a member of the Hamlin school board of trustees for several years.

He and Mrs. Crawford have three children—Jimmy, nine; Robert, six; and Mignon, three.

Construction on Two Buildings Underway

Construction was underway this week on two new business houses for Hamlin, and completion dates have been set within 60 days.

Tom eague is erecting a new building to house the Hamlin Funeral Home on Southwest Avenue A, facing west, in front of the Mrs. J. J. Crawford residence.

Fred and Eddie Jay are constructing a 60x80-foot store building for the Piggly Wiggly store just south of Jay Implement Company.

D. H. Sanders Buys Gardner's Tire Store

Assuming ownership of the former Gardner's Tire & Auto Supply in Hamlin Monday was D. H. Sanders, who has been connected with an oil company in the area for several months. He purchased the interest of C. H. (Chill) Gardner, who is moving to San Benito, in the Rio Grande Valley.

Sanders is restocking the concern with auto supplies and accessories. He will continue to feature United States Rubber Company's tires and tubes.

Gardner will be connected with an uncle in the automobile and insurance business at San Benito.



IT'S JUST IMAGINATION!—The needle for the Salk polio vaccine may look the big to some children, but this was just a gag arranged by Tommie Ellis. Jeff Smith, school student to be vaccinated against polio. He said he wasn't really afraid of the needle. A second grader, he was the first of 44 students to receive shots at Carver School.

Street Paving to Be Resumed Monday

Part of the paving crew of the C. & C. Asphalt Paving Company of Colorado City, holder of contract for curb and gutter and paving work in Hamlin, was due to return to the city this week-end to resume work. Some eight or 10 blocks of additional paving will be ready for completion, according to Roy Dunlap, city engineer of Hamlin.

Small Grains Crops Deteriorate Fast After Continued Drouth

Wheat and oat crops in the Hamlin territory have badly deteriorated during the past three weeks due to hot dry winds and sand storms to almost reverse an optimistic attitude taken by some three weeks ago about prospects for the crops.

After most fields had begun to head and develop following April showers, the half-grown plants began burning and head development practically quit. Now, the outlook is that probably a 20 to 25 per cent normal crop will be made.

A small strip southwest of town continues to look fairly promising, where wheat crops up to 15 bushels per acre are forecast.

Work on Highway 83 Resumed This Week

Work on the widening, straightening and leveling project on the Hamlin-to-Anson stretch of Highway 83 was due to be resumed Wednesday or Thursday of this week, according to Texas Highway Department officials.

VISIT FROM BOWIE.

Mrs. Jack Hensley and two children of Bowie have been visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lain. Mrs. Hensley is a niece of Lain.

High School Carnival Being Conducted This Evening at Gym and Cafeteria

Highlight of the high school carnival this evening will be the crowning of the Carnival Queen in the auditorium at 9:00 o'clock.

The carnival, being sponsored by the Student Council of Hamlin High School, will open this (Friday) evening at 6:30 in the high school gymnasium and cafeteria, with fun and thrills for all ages.

There will be booths sponsored by each of the classes and organizations in the school, such as bingo, ducking pond, dart throwing and fishing. Admission is 25 cents for adults and 10 cents for students.

A princess and an escort and two duchesses have been elected from each class to participate in the queen coronation ceremonies. They are: Norma Garrett and Bobby Norton, Martha Hubbard and Charlene Smith, seniors; June Hill and Rodney Spaulding, Lusara

Dean and Milbra Carlton, juniors; Elizabeth Norton and Dee Prewitt, Charlotte Wallace and Charlotte Carson, sophomores; Bette Teague and Bill Murff, Eva Wallace and Beverly Rogers, freshmen.

As attendants pay admission at the door, they will vote for the queen from the princess candidates. The girls receiving the most votes will be crowned Carnival Queen.

James Boyd, president of the Student Council, will be master of ceremonies. Crown-bearer will be Mike Smith, and the flower girl will be Sally Carlton. Heralders of the court will be Gene Steele and John Mack Harwell.

Peggy Briscoe, Reba Roland and Annette Smith are in charge of the coronation ceremonies, and are being assisted by Mrs. C. Weldon Griggs.

Bath Houses, Walks and Fences Not in Contract

Contract for construction of the Hamlin community swimming pool, movement for which has been underway for several weeks, was signed Saturday afternoon according to Delma Shelburne, president of Hamlin Foundation, Inc., sponsoring organization.

The contract, embracing the building of a regulation 30x50x80-foot pool, complete with water filtration plant, went to Velvin Construction Company of Midland on a bid of \$15,115 for the turn-key job. The contract does not include bath houses, fences, sidewalks and other appurtenances that will be needed before the pool can be successfully operated, foundation officials point out.

Actual construction on the pool is expected to get underway the first part of next week, a representative of the contracting firm told Roy Dunlap, city engineer, who has prepared plans and specifications for the pool and will supervise the construction. With no hitches in locating materials, the representative said the pool could be completed by June 1.

However, in this connection foundation officials declare they have so far been unable to find enough cement, approximately 900 sacks, to do the job. A shortage in cement in this area has developed recently because of several huge government jobs that are taking vast amounts of the product.

The pool will be constructed under a new type liquid method of applying the cement to the steel framework without forms. Under this process, the coarse sand and cement mixture is blown onto steel framework to form walls reportedly stronger than conventionally poured concrete mixtures. Final coats contain the paint, and repainting is never necessary, the contractor declares.

Pledges of funds made to the swimming pool have been coming in pretty well, says Jack Russell, drive fund chairman, who urges those who have not made their payments to do so at once so that funds will be available for the bath houses and other work at the pool site.

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The work, being done on contract by Collins Construction Company of Austin, was halted temporarily several days ago when a bottleneck in delivery of materials was hit.

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MOTHER'S DAY IS NOT A DAY OF GAY PARADES

Next Sunday the world will pause briefly from its many diverse thoughts and actions to pay tribute to that angelical figure of the home—mother.

All mothers will be honored: the young ones, proudly caressing their first-born; the middle-aged ones who have guided their children and loving care to adulthood; and the saintly, silver-haired ones who proudly wear the crown of grandmotherhood. Appropriate tribute will be aptly paid to mothers by newspapers and magazines. She will be eulogized by the press and from the pulpit. Yet all the beautiful encomium will be inadequate to describe our deep and genuine appreciation of our mothers.

Mother's Day is set aside to express our love, admiration and respect to our first and dearest friend. We don't decorate the house or march behind a band or hold a gay party as we do on some special days. Instead, we dedicate our attention and thoughts to our mothers, and try to visualize what she means to us now and what she has always meant to us.

Famous men throughout the world have immortalized their mothers. Abraham Lincoln wrote, "All that I am or ever hope to be I owe to my angel mother." George Washington said: "I attribute all my success in life to the moral, intellectual and physical education which I received from my mother."

Rembrandt said: "A kiss from my mother made me a painter." Benita Juarez said: "The starlight of love in my mother's eye was my constant guide." Thomas A. Edison: "My mother was the making of me. She was so true, so sure of me, and I felt I had someone to live for—someone I must not disappoint."

General John J. Pershing: "My mother's prayers have followed me." Defoe uttered: "The sweetest name in any language is mother." Joaquin Miller wrote: "The bravest battle that ever was fought—shall I tell you where and when? On the maps of the world you will find it not; 'twas fought by the mothers of men." E. P. Brown declared: "What God will do for us under all circumstances is the very same that a good mother would do if she had the power and wisdom to do it at all times." George Herbert said: "One good mother is worth a hundred schoolmasters in the home. She is a lodestone to all hearts and a lodestar to all eyes."

Mother's love is our highest form of earthly affection. There is a penetrating tenderness of a mother to a son that surpasses all affection of the heart. It cannot be daunted by disloyalty, weakened by ingratitude, nor chilled by selfishness. A mother will sacrifice her own comfort and surrender her own pleasure for the convenience of her child.

The View One Takes

A certain business corporation called a meeting of its salesmen. The sales manager had prepared a large white sheet and tacked it up on the wall.

When all the men had gathered, the sales manager went over to the white sheet and made a little black dot with a crayon, as near the center of the sheet as he could. Then he said: "You are a bunch of smart men; what do you see?"

"A little black dot," one man answered. "What do the rest of you see?" asked the manager.

"A little black dot," they answered. "That's just the trouble," exclaimed the sales manager. "You all see the little black dot, but none of you sees the big sheet of white. Well, that little black dot represents the orders you have taken. The big sheet of white represents our prospects. Now you fellows step out and hustle!"

The Free Zoo Parade

You don't need a television set to see the zoo parade. All you have to do is to get on the highway any day, any time—and you will pass them—or the chances are they will pass you. Here are some of them in their cages:

The chimpanzee . . . This is the character who hangs on to the roof of the car with his left hand while he drives with the right.

The Ostrich . . . This is the weird personality who believes that if he ducks his head behind the wheel and pays no attention to anything, nothing can harm him.

The Roadhog . . . This animal has been around for a long time, and is one of the most prevalent and unpopular in the zoo.

The Jack Rabbit . . . This is the scat-back type who zigs and zags through traffic like a frightened bunny.

The Jackass . . . This type is as versatile as he is common. He can be the show-off who risks his own neck and everybody else's by speeding and weaving. Or he may turn up as the plain, stupid oaf who doesn't savvy that modern driving requires a little thought.

The Elephant . . . This is the big stalwart, unpassable type who plants himself in the middle of the road and slowly plods along.

There are other animals in our zoo, of course, but the one animal no one tries to emulate is the horse. This would require horse sense, and that is a very rare traffic achievement these days.

Why Some Men Are Big

When Paderewski was premier of Poland, he was in his study one midnight deeply interested in state papers. An assailant suddenly appeared at his elbow. The man held a weapon in one hand, and in the other a paper which he was demanding that Paderewski sign, abdicating his premiership.

Madame Paderewski was asleep in an adjoining room. The confusion awakened her, and as she entered the study the revolver dropped from the assailant's hand. Her husband was throttling the man.

The guards were called, and Paderewski had them take the man out and set him free. "Since that night," said the artist-statesman some years later, "that man was my friend."

Andrew Carnegie perfected the Bessemer steel process, and out of this new way of making steel he amassed a fortune. But more than once his business was sorely beset by strikes. At one time a strike leader became afflicted with a serious illness. He was informed by a medical source that he could go to a health resort for full recovery. He protested that he did not have the means, but was informed that there would be no cost.

The man accepted the offer, regained his health after many months, and finally learned that the "unknown benefactor" was the very man whom he had fiercely denounced in a strike.

Editorial of the Week

LOBBYISTS' DINNERS SPURNED

Who says there is nothing new under the sun? Up in Hennepin County (Minneapolis) Minnesota, the county's delegation to the Minnesota Legislature has spurned wining and dining by lobbyists.

Members of the delegation have instructed lobbyists to save expense account money they ordinarily spend for steak dinners and hotel parties for legislators. Instead, the delegation will hold a two-day hearing at which all lobbyists will be invited to state the case for the interests they represent and told then to leave the legislators alone after the Legislature convenes.

Is this the dawn of the millennium? Will the Minneapolis legislators set a new fashion in state capital politico-social goings-on? It would be fine to think that it might be so, but it would not be wise to hold one's breath until the custom spreads everywhere.—The Houston Post.

RECALLING Other Years

★ Being news items taken from old files of Your Home Town Newspaper The Herald

TWENTY YEARS AGO.

From the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated April 26, 1935, the following items of news are reprinted:

Five Hamlin boys were among the 21 Jones County lads scheduled to report to the Civilian Conservation Corps camp at Sweetwater Monday. They are: George McDaniel, Charles Favors, Harris Polk, Leo Mixon and Walter Abbott.

J. B. Terrell's Red & White Grocery featured these prices in an advertisement: Strawberries, 10 cents per pint; Maxwell House coffee, three-pound can, 83 cents; potatoes, 10 pounds 20 cents.

Total deposits at the Farmers & Merchants National Bank at the close of business March 4, 1935, were \$465,802.98.

Honor roll for the fifth six-week period at Hamlin High School contains the following names: Lydia Garrett and Oleta King, freshmen; Ray Humphrey, Dorothy Morgan and J. B. Terrell Jr., sophomores; Avelene Murphree, Melva Ramsey, Betty Murl Routh and Willie Walker, juniors; Marvin York, Ethevin Allen, Leona Bowman, Rowena Davis and Sarah Ellen Nicholson, seniors.

New Ford V-8 cars were advertised at \$495 and up, for Detroit. Bryant-Link Company advertised Easter suits, linen and silk dresses at \$3.95 and up.

TEN YEARS AGO.

The following items of interest in the community 10 years ago are reprinted from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated April 20, 1945:

The nation was mourning the passing of Franklin D. Roosevelt, president of the United States, who died the past week.

Nineteen-year-old Charles Nathan Hale, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Hale of Hamlin, died in the battle for Iwo Jima March 19, according to official word from the War Department received by relatives this week.

Mrs. J. T. Grogan and children, James Carol and Sandra Kay, returned this week to their home at Fort Worth after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Meeks.

Mrs. Lester Morton has been advised by an Associated Press release that her husband, Lieutenant Lester Morton, flying a Mitchell bomber, has been credited with the sinking of a Japanese war ship.

Special water rates are being made to encourage lawns and gardens. After the \$2 minimum charge, water will be sold at 10 per 1,000 gallons, city officials state.

FIVE YEARS AGO.

News items of interest in the Hamlin community five years ago included the following, taken from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated April 21, 1950:

More than an inch of rain has fallen in the Hamlin territory during the past two days, to give crops a rosy looking future.

Scholastics recorded in the Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District total 1,232, according to school officials.

Grain prospects in the Hamlin territory have improved considerably with recent rains, according to growers and buyers of wheat.

Catches of 22 inches in Hamlin South Lake are reported from the rains of the past several days. The water problem for the city, which had become critical within the past 90 days, was alleviated to some extent, say city officials.

Hamlin's Pied Piper baseball team, which has been showing up well this season, whitewashed the Anson crew under a 9 to 0 score Tuesday afternoon.

ONE YEAR AGO.

Among news items of interest in the Hamlin community a year ago were the following, reprinted from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated April 23, 1954:

Mrs. E. M. Wilson, Hamlin business woman and former secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, has been named county chairman of the Jones County Tuberculosis Association at the annual business session held Monday at Anson.

W. T. Johnson, Hamlin bank official, has been elected president of the Hamlin Lions Club. He will succeed Dry Goods Merchant C. C. Bailey on July 1.

Hamlin Elementary School Band was rated in the first division in regional contests conducted Saturday at Hamlin. The chorus, under direction of Mrs. Vera Jayroe, was rated in the second division. A new water line from the big Stamford-to-Hamlin main is being planned from south of the Highway 92 line into the Hamlin East Cemetery, according to cemetery association officials.

Mexico Cattle Raisers Buying Breeding Stock Now in U. S. to Replace Lost Herds

The cow country of the United States usually exports large numbers of tourists, a few registered cattle and an occasional lady bull fighter to Mexico, but by and large, what cattle trade we have with Old Mexico is buying cattle from there, declares Ted Goudy, special market reporter for The Herald, in this week's release to Your Home Town Paper. His release continues:

We learned from the Foreign Agricultural Service of the U. S. Department of Agriculture this week that at their mid-March meeting the Sonoran Cattle Raisers Association proposed to import at least 100,000 heifers and cows from the United States!

These cattle would replace the estimated 300,000 herd lost in Sonora due to the drought in recent years.

Early summer movement of cattle and calves was again evident at Fort Worth Monday. Some 3,000 more were offered than a year ago at the same time. Trade developed slowly as packers endeavored to lower costs. Fed cattle were steady to 25 cents higher, cows weak to 50 cents lower. Bulls sold steady.

Stockers and feeders with quality moved readily at fully steady prices, as did choice fat calves. However, grassy calves and yearlings of both slaughter and stocker kinds of medium and lower grades eased lower by around 50 cents or more per 100. Plain stockers sell at about their slaughter values. The spread between heifer calves and yearlings of the stocker kind is the widest in months, mostly \$3 to \$4, for stocker heifers under similar steers unless fleshy enough to sell for slaughter.

Good and choice fed steers and yearlings sold at \$19 to \$22.75, the latter figure for load of steers fed by J. W. Miller of Swisher County that averaged about 1,150 pounds. These were mates to cattle at \$2250 a week earlier. Plain and medium yearlings and heifers hit \$12 to \$18. Fat cows were \$10.50 to \$13.50; canners and cutters \$7 to \$11. Bulls brought \$10 to \$14.25, fat calves \$14 to \$21.50. Stocker calves \$23 down, stocker steer yearlings \$22 down and stocker steers \$21.50 down.

Both livestock and buyers at Fort Worth this week agreed that it would stabilize prices if more sheep and cattle were marketed on Wednesday and Thursday, and the big runs of Monday and Tuesday were held down in the months ahead.

It was pointed out that in recent months Wednesday and Thursday prices have usually been as good as Monday and Tuesday, and in some cases even higher. Last week shorn lambs topped at \$17 Monday and Tuesday, and on the Wednesday, Thursday and Friday sessions topped at \$17.50 for example.

Packers say they are at a disadvantage if they have to buy huge numbers on Monday and Tuesday and carry them to the end of the week to get them killed. Spreading this summer's runs more evenly through the week will serve to level out price trends and avoid bad price breaks, all agree.

Hogs opened 25 cents lower at Fort Worth Monday. Pressure generated from the big run reported in the Corn Belt—22,000 more hogs appeared at 12 major markets than a week ago. The

HEALTHY AS A HORSE. "Do you think raw oysters are healthy?" asked a lady of her physician. "Yes," he replied. "I never knew one to complain."

THE WAY WE DO IT. An American is a person who isn't afraid to criticize the president, but is always polite to a policeman.

crop was more than double that for the same day last year!

Top hogs drew \$17 to \$17.25 at Fort Worth, and sows sold from \$11 to \$14.50, some big weights of over 500 pounds, at the low end of the quotations.

Loyce Hargrove Takes Leave to Tokyo, Japan

Private First Class Loyce D. Hargrove, 21, whose wife Dorothy, is employed in the city hall at Hamlin, recently spent a week's leave at Tokyo, Japan, from his unit in Korea.

Hargrove, son of Walker Clinton Hargrove of 653 West Lake Drive, is regularly stationed in Korea with the 504th Quartermaster Service Company as a supply specialist.

A 1952 graduate of Hamlin High School, he entered the Army in April, 1954, and arrived overseas last November.

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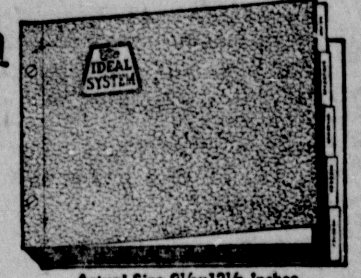
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Residents of Area Invited to Opening of Stamford Plant

All residents within 100 miles of Stamford have been invited to participate in a giant open house Saturday, May 7, for the town's newest and largest manufacturing plant, Feldt Manufacturing Company.

Mayors and residents within the 100-mile area have been invited by Stamford officials. A free gift will be presented to every visitor by the Feldt plant. All merchants in Stamford are participating in the big open house, which actually is a community reception for Feldt and Stamford.

The one-day open house also will mark the beginning of the largest celebration of National Cotton Week in Stamford. National Cotton Week is May 9 through May 14. Stamford will begin its National Cotton Week celebration with the Feldt open house.

Betty McDermott, fashion editor of The Abilene Reporter-News, will coordinate style shows featuring western style cotton clothes. Ray Grisham of Abilene, president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, will cut the ribbon. Governor Allan Shivers and state senators have been invited to participate.

The day's activities begin with a band concert by the Stamford High School Band at 10:15 a. m. followed by a style show of western wear at 10:45 a. m.

Dedication ceremonies will follow, including a ribbon cutting, officially opening the plant.

Out-of-Town Quartets To Be at Dovie Singing

Three quartets from Haskell and Knox City are scheduled to be among attendants at the regular first Friday night singing this (Friday) evening at Dovie community church, five miles east of Hamlin, according to leaders of the community.

Singing will get underway at 8:00 o'clock, and the general public is invited. Refreshments will be served at the conclusion of the singing.

Officers of the Dovie community singing organization are: O. L. Corn, president; Benson Payne, vice president; and Gladys Nelson, secretary.



NOMINATED — The White House has announced from Washington, D. C., that John R. Brown, Houston lawyer, will be nominated by President Eisenhower as U. S. Circuit Judge for the Fifth District. Brown is a Republican and was born in Nebraska. The Fifth Circuit includes Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Louisiana, Mississippi, Texas and the Canal Zone.

Early Campaigns Against Cotton Insects Are Urged

Hamlin area cotton raisers are being urged by extension specialists to get the jump on costly cotton insects by starting insect control measures early.

"Cotton starts off faster, fruit earlier and yields higher when early season insect control practices are followed," Dr. F. M. Fuller, extension entomologist, says.

Initial dust or spray treatments should be made when cotton reaches the two to four-leaf stage or earlier if necessary. Two to four applications of insecticides usually will control the season's first offenders—thrips, red spiders, aphids, flea hoppers and overwintered boll weevils.

Unless flea hopper and boll weevil infestations remain injurious, the early season phase of insect control should be curtailed about 30 days before the bollworm normally appears. This allows time for a build-up of beneficial insects which also help control bollworms.

Sprays are more effective and economical than dusts on young cotton, Fuller says.

More information on early season control is given in the 1955 Guide for Controlling Cotton Insects in Texas. This guide lists each recommended insecticide and its rate of application. The bulletin, L-218, also contains a detailed program for late season control of cotton insects. Available from local county agents, this bulletin is free for the asking.

Lions Club Hears Reports on District Meeting at Abilene

Reports on the annual District 2-E convention of Lions International, held Sunday and Monday at Abilene, highlighted the program at the Tuesday noon luncheon of the Hamlin Lions Club at the oil mill guest house. Six members of the local club, some accompanied by their wives, were present for at least part of the sessions.

President W. T. Johnson, I. R. Huchingson, Jim H. King, Haskell Carter and L. H. McBride gave reports on various phases of the two-day convention program.

Leading speaker for the convention was S. A. Dodge, former president of Lions International. W. R. McDonald of Fort Worth, who was defeated two years in his bid for district governor by Huchingson, was named governor at the Abilene business session. Mineral Wells was selected as site of the next convention. Joe Childers, Charlie Williams and Guy Crawford were named the district's representatives, on the board of the Texas Lions Club's Crippled Children's Home at Kerrville.

President-Elect W. S. Seals of the local club, who attended the Abilene convention, was unable to be at the Tuesday meeting because of illness.

Means of raising the Lions Club's pledge to the community swimming pool will be suggested at next week's luncheon by a committee named by Johnson.

Guests at the weekly luncheon Tuesday were Bill Tidwell of Rotarian, J. B. Taylor of Clyde, Joe Breed of Anson and George Batchelor of Hamlin.

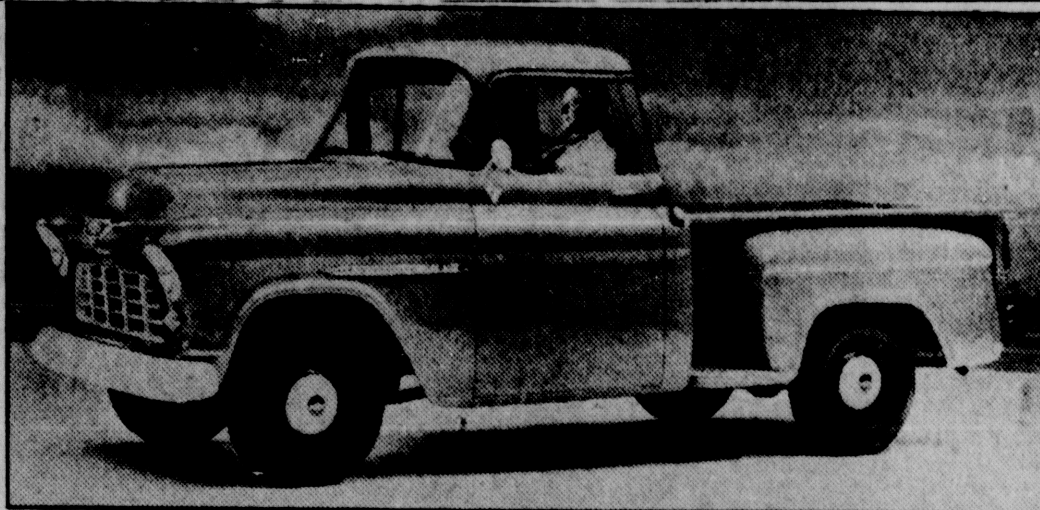
Will Rogers Jr. Invited To Cowboy Reunion At Stamford in July

Will Rogers Jr. of Beverly Hills, California, has been invited to be guest of honor at the twenty-fifth Texas Cowboy Reunion, July 1, 2 and 4.

"We are going to honor the memory of the most beloved man that America has ever known—your father," stated the letter of invitation from President W.G. Swenson. "We can think of nothing that would add more to the Cowboy Reunion than your presence would, as the son of the man whose memory we will honor, and as an outstanding figure in the fields of public service, newspapers and motion pictures yourself."

Young Rogers is noted as a newspaper publisher, served in Congress and starred in a film portraying the life of his father, whom he greatly resembles in features, manner and way of speaking.

Will Rogers attended the Texas Cowboy Reunion in 1935.



CHEVROLET'S EVER-POPULAR LIGHT PICKUP TRUCKS promise to win even greater favor this year. A long list of improvements that range from added driver convenience to beauty of design has been incorporated in the 1955 line, being shown this week at Carl Murrell Chevrolet Company in Hamlin. Two pickups are offered in the light duty series, one featuring a 78-inch length box, the other a 90-inch length. Pickups are among 75 models on 15 wheel-bases, Murrell announces.

Roger Babson Declares Eating of Seeds May Be Secret of Longevity for Man

This story may be valueless; or it may be important, begins Roger W. Babson, regular contributor to the columns of The Herald, in his weekly release on "How to Live Long and Be Beautiful."

His discussion for the week continues: This will not cause anyone to eat less canned or frozen fruit and vegetables, but it may develop a new industry in this country that will soon edify flourish.

There is in the village of Babson Park, Florida, where I have spent the winter, the Florida Research and Water Company. It owns the local water company and is interested in the study of live seeds small enough to eat alive. It also believes in "raw" water and "raw" milk—that is, pure spring water which has not had the living matter killed by chlorine, and pure milk which has not been pasteurized. It recommends the eating of more "whole" cereals, more "raw" vegetables, and "raw" fruits, especially those consisting largely of live seeds, like okra—but they should be ripe seeds; also live "sprouts and buds." It believes in juicing machines, but not for live seeds.

Let me illustrate: It is impossible to eat a peach seed, and probably unwise to swallow live orange, acerola or apple seeds, unless they are ground; but ripe tomatoes, strawberries, blackberries, blueberries, bananas, figs and pomegranates should be eaten, seeds and all, uncooked. Of course, all raw fruit and vegetables should be carefully washed. The acerola berry of Puerto Rico is reported to have 50 times the vitamin C per gram contained in an orange. The second paragraph on page 59 of the Reader's Digest for January, 1955, is thought provoking.

All agree that string beans may be cut up and cooked for a few minutes. Some people, however, believe that sunflower seeds, peas, small beans, nuts and psyllium, onion and celery seeds should be only softened in warm water and swallowed like pills! The thought is that all vegetables have three functions: (1) Supplying vitamins, minerals, etc.; (2) supplying much needed bulk; and (3) through the living seeds supplying that unknown and tangible "something" known as life.

Those who have seen any fish (from mackerel to sharks) pulled alive out of the ocean have been impressed by their natural beauty and proportions. When analyzing the diet of these fish, we learn that the smallest fish live on minute animal and plant life known as plankton and algae; that the larger fish live on the smaller live fish; and so on up to the whale. But, all insist their food be alive.

I am not vouching for any theory of life, but it does seem as if the above evidence should be considered when selecting our diet. Once, no doctor had recommended B-12 pills or brewer's yeast; but today they recommend them. Perhaps we will live to see doctors recommend the addition of non-fattening live seeds or phosphates to our diets.

Estimated 35 from County Entered Service in Quarter

An estimated 35 Jones County young men entered the armed forces during the first quarter of 1955. This was a decline from an estimated 45 for the same period a year ago.

A total of 13,123 Texans entered the armed forces during the first quarter of 1955, a total of 17,819 getting out during the same period.

Of the 13,123 who got into the various uniformed services, 10,661 entered by enlistment. The remaining 2,462 were drafted through the state's 137 draft boards.

These figures were obtained from reports of Brigadier General Paul L. Wakefield, state director of selective service, to national selective service headquarters in Washington.

State draft boards sent only 2,733 men for physical-mental examinations during the three-month period. Army examining and induction stations rejected a total of 1,097 of these men, a rejection rate of 40 per cent.

During the first three months of 1955 a total of 31 doctors and dentists registered with draft boards under the doctors' draft law.

Selective service records at the end of March indicated about 142,000 Texans in the uniformed services at that time, compared to approximately 152,000 at the same time in 1954.

While 13,123 Texans were entering the armed forces during January, February and March, a total of 15,643 Texans were registered with Texas draft boards.

MASS MEETING

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of our citizens and businesses is imperative if we forge ahead and take advantage of our opportunities. We cannot secure new enterprises, new industries, properly service our community and provide information about our town without a central organization to handle these affairs. The Chamber of Commerce is the logical organization to handle these functions."

At present the Chamber of Commerce is without a manager-secretary since the leaving last week-end of Onis Crawford for lack of funds to pay him. He went to Merkel at a considerable increase in salary and expense money.

A called mass meeting last Thursday morning at the Ferguson Theater failed to muster sufficient attendance of citizens to do much good on the CC question, Shelburne said. Next Friday evening's session, it is hoped, will find greater response, CC officials declare.

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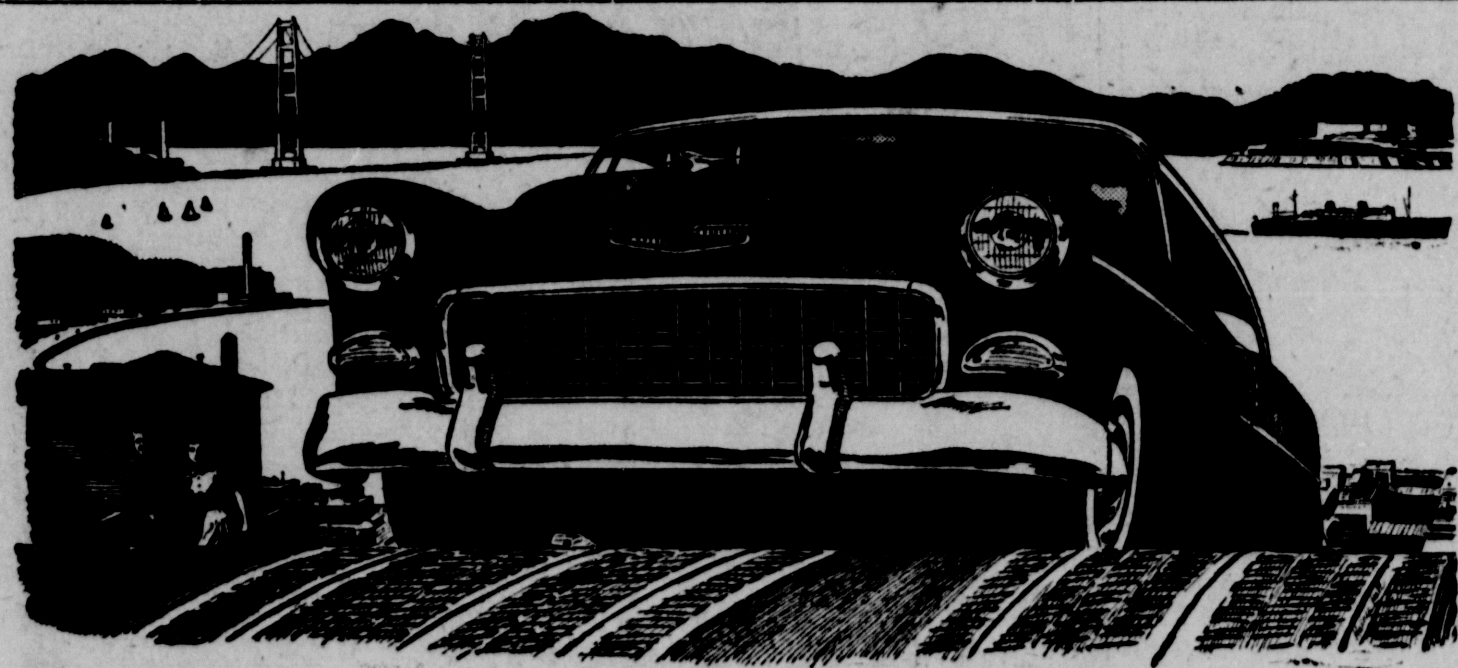
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The Herald's Page for Women



Home Demonstration Clubs of County This Week Celebrating National Week

Members of the 15 Home Demonstration Clubs of Jones County are this week joining thousands of other women over the nation who are observing the tenth annual National Home Demonstration Week, according to Jimmie Lou Wainscott, home demonstration agent.

Purposes of National Home Demonstration Week are to acquaint more families—especially young families—with this educational program in homemaking; to encourage families in improving the communities in which they live; and to recognize volunteer local leaders if home demonstration groups.

Home demonstration work is that part of the agricultural extension program concerned with home and family. The newest research information in all phases

of homemaking is brought to homemakers through specialists, demonstration agents and local leaders. Programs and demonstrations in foods and nutrition, housing and home improvement, home management, health and safety, family life, clothing, consumer buying and public affairs are developed to fit local needs and interest.

During the week, more than 40,000 members of 1985 Texas home Demonstration Clubs will highlight their activities in various ways. Special educational exhibits and programs, feature stories, radio and television programs, and tours of result demonstrations are planned to interpret the objectives of home demonstration work and show its contribution to family and community life.

In keeping with the theme, home demonstration agents and club members will stress the role of the home and the family in developing and maintaining those qualities valued in a democracy.

In Jones County the Home Demonstration Clubs are each celebrating National Home Demonstration Week in their own clubs and communities. Reports of these meetings will be made at a later date.

There are 15 organized Home Demonstration Clubs in Jones County, and during the week of May 16 one will be organized in the Dovie community. There are now 223 club members in these 15 Home Demonstration Clubs.

Methodist Women Plan Missionary Box

Plans were made for packing a box to be sent to a missionary family when members of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Faith Methodist Church met Monday morning at 9:15 o'clock for their regular weekly session.

Mrs. Gerald Renfro opened the services with a devotional, after which Mrs. Orion Lewis brought the final portion of the study book, "Women of the Bible."

During the business session, after plans for packing the box were made, final arrangements were discussed concerning the sponsoring of an all-church chicken fry to be held at the O. R. Criswell home Friday evening, May 6.

Second sheets at The Herald.

Bosses' Dinner Staged Tuesday Evening by Hamlin B&PW Club

Members of the Business and Professional Women's Club of Hamlin served their annual bosses' dinner Tuesday evening with 31 member present with their guests.

Mrs. S. C. Ferguson Jr. reviewed the book, "The Edge of Time" of Eria Grace Erdman of Canyon. The book is a novel about early day Texas homesteaders.

The retiring president, Jo Riddle, was presented a past president's gold pin with guard. Making the presentation was Ruby Poe.

Following the singing by the group of "The Eyes of Texas Are Upon You," led by Mrs. Earl Brown and accompanied by Mrs. Joe McCrary, I. R. Witt directed a pantomime, "Texas Star."

Senior girls of the month, who were guests at the Tuesday evening meeting, were Peggy Briscoe and Linda Wallace.

Guests present were R. H. McCurdy, Andy Anderson, T. R. Tegar, Mr. and Mrs. Tate May, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Russell, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Ferguson Jr., Mr. and Mrs. John C. Bryant, Odean Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Donley Williams, Homer Raney, Donnie Sanderlin, W. C. Hargrove, George Malouf, Earl Brown, I. R. Witt, Junior Haught, Mrs. Clinton Barrow, Wesley Nail, Fay Dean, Ben Turner, and Weldon Hudson.

New Officers Installed by Gleaners Class of McCaulley Church

New officers for the ensuing quarter were installed when members of the Gleaners Sunday School Class of the McCaulley Baptist Church met Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Virgil Steele for a business meeting and social hour.

The following women were installed: Mrs. Hallie McFatter, president; Mrs. Annie Ruth Ferguson, vice president; Mrs. Levi McCollum, secretary - treasurer; Mrs. Grady Cook and Mrs. Frank Houghton, group captains.

After the business meeting and program, the hostess served refreshment plates to the following: Mmes. Noah Wishert, James Blanton, Neila Smith, Bill Kean, Beech Jones, Levi McCollum, Ernest Webb, Hallie McFatter, Grady Cook, Frank Houghton, Annie Ruth Ferguson, Ben Short, Miss Ruby Hennington and Mrs. Steele, the hostess.



Cotton feed bags in interesting floral print have been chosen for an afternoon fashion by Nell Perkovich, young housewife of Memphis, Tenn. The dress will be part of her entry in the third annual National Cotton Bag Sewing Contest at the Mid-South Fair. Mrs. Perkovich wears a tailored style in red, white and blue plaid, also made from cotton bags. Nationwide bag sewing contests will be staged at 52 state and regional fairs from June to November. Finals will be November 15 in Chicago.

Tacky Party Featured At Meeting of Naomi Sunday School Class

An old fashioned "tacky party" was the feature of the meeting of members of the Naomi Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church Friday evening in the home of Mrs. A. G. Miller. Co-hostesses were Mmes. Billie Goodman and A. C. Hall.

Mrs. Wallace Walton, teacher of the group, opened the session with prayer. Mrs. Ola Stoner, president, presided for a short business meeting.

Mrs. Joe A. Simpson brought the devotional on "The Value of a Child," using the scriptures, Genesis, Exodus, First Samuel, Second Chronicles, Psalms and Proverbs.

Mrs. Wallace Walton was awarded a prize, a dish cloth doll, for being adjudged the "tackiest" by Mmes. Martin Westbrook, Mack Perdue and Houston Walker, the judges.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the following guests and members: Mmes. Martin Westbrook, Houston Walker, Mack Perdue, C. A. Brooks, L. B. Cole and Frank Lafer, guests; and Mmes. Ruth Hallmark, Dena

Opportunities for Overseas Work Open Through Red Cross

Opportunities for immediate placement as recreation workers in the American Red Cross Overseas Club program are now open to qualified young women between the ages of 23 and 30, it was announced this week by Leslie This, director of personnel, Red Cross midwestern area office at St. Louis, Missouri, in a release to The Herald.

In all, a total of 80 young women are needed to provide leisure time programs for U. S. troops presently serving in remote areas in Korea, Europe and North Africa.

Women interested in receiving further information on these openings should write to the Director of Personnel Service, Midwestern Area Office, American National Red Cross, 4050 Lindell Boulevard, St. Louis 8, Missouri, or contact their nearest Red Cross chapter.

Branscum, Vera Baker, Lela Lain, Flora Carter, Leona Carter, Mamie Deel, Eva Eades, Vera Hart, Connie O'Neal, Winnowee Abbott, and Jewel Mayfield.

Eight Hamlin 4-H Club Girls Take Part In Dress Review

Eight 4-H Club girls from Hamlin were among entrants in the annual Jones County 4-H Club girls' dress review staged Monday evening in the Anson High School auditorium. Thirty-one girls entered the review, according to Jimmie Lou Wainscott, county home demonstration agent and sponsor for the girls.

Each girl was given an entry prize furnished by the Anson Chamber of Commerce.

First place winner in the over 14 age group was Frankie Sullivan of Noodle. Frankie modeled a red nylon with a long torso and a full pleated skirt.

First place in the 12 to 14-year-old group was Judy Simmons of Anson. These girls will represent Jones County at the district dress review in August.

Beth Adkins gave her speech on "What 4-H Club Work Means to Me." Beth is District III public speaking first place winner and will compete in the state contest in June at College Station.

Also as part of the program Sandra Garrett of Lueders gave a demonstration on "Magic from Milk."

Those who entered the dress review were Judy Neville of Anson, Barbara Shuquist of Avoca, Pat Workman of Avoca, Marverine Shuquist of Avoca, Beth Christian of Hamlin, Brenda Jones of Anson, Wanda Jones of Anson, Patsy Wade of Anson, Lou Parkinson of Anson, Sandra Thorn of Anson, Martha Garrett of Lueders, Mary Smith of Hamlin, Sandra Smith of Hamlin, Linda Bingham and Joyce Bingham of Hamlin, Ann Johnson of Hamlin, Joyce Smith of Hamlin, Pat Green of Hamlin, Anna Cheryl Adams of Hamlin, Linda Jones of Anson, Betty Ruth Lain of Anson, Sandra Garrett of Lueders, Delores Hunter of Noodle, Judy Simmons of Anson, Pearl Sanders of Anson, Nancy Hunter of Noodle, Karan Irvin of Noodle, Frankie Sullivan of Noodle, and Clara Hill of Noodle.

Those attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. May, Mr. and Mrs. Bub Roy, Carolyn Sue and Jimmy of Hamlin; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wheeler, Bobby Gandy, Sheila Phillips and Tinnie Higgins, Dick Blakely and Joe Galyean of Snyder; and O. T. Higgins of Rotan.

Clarice Ann Higgins of Rotan Becomes Bride of Billy Hugh Roy in Rites Here

O. T. Higgins of Rotan is announcing the recent marriage of his daughter, Clarice Ann, to Billy Hugh Roy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bub Roy of Hamlin. The ceremony was performed in the faith Methodist Church parsonage at Hamlin, with Rev. Orion Lewis, pastor, officiating.

The bride was attired in a simply tailored white linen dress, a flattering white hat with baby blue accessories. She carried a white Bible topped with an exquisite green orchid a gift of the groom.

Only attendant to the bride was a cousin, Mrs. Kenneth Wheeler of Snyder. Mr. Roy's best man was his brother-in-law, J. B. May of Hamlin.

After the rites, the couple left on their honeymoon trip to Ruidoso, New Mexico, for several days. Since their return, Mr. and Mrs. Roy are residing at 607 Twenty-Ninth Street in Snyder.

The bride is a 1954 graduate of Rotan High School Upon graduation Mrs. Roy was employed by Southwestern Bell Telephone Company in Snyder, and is to continue her work there. The bridegroom is an employee of the Santa Fe Railway at Snyder.

Those attending the wedding

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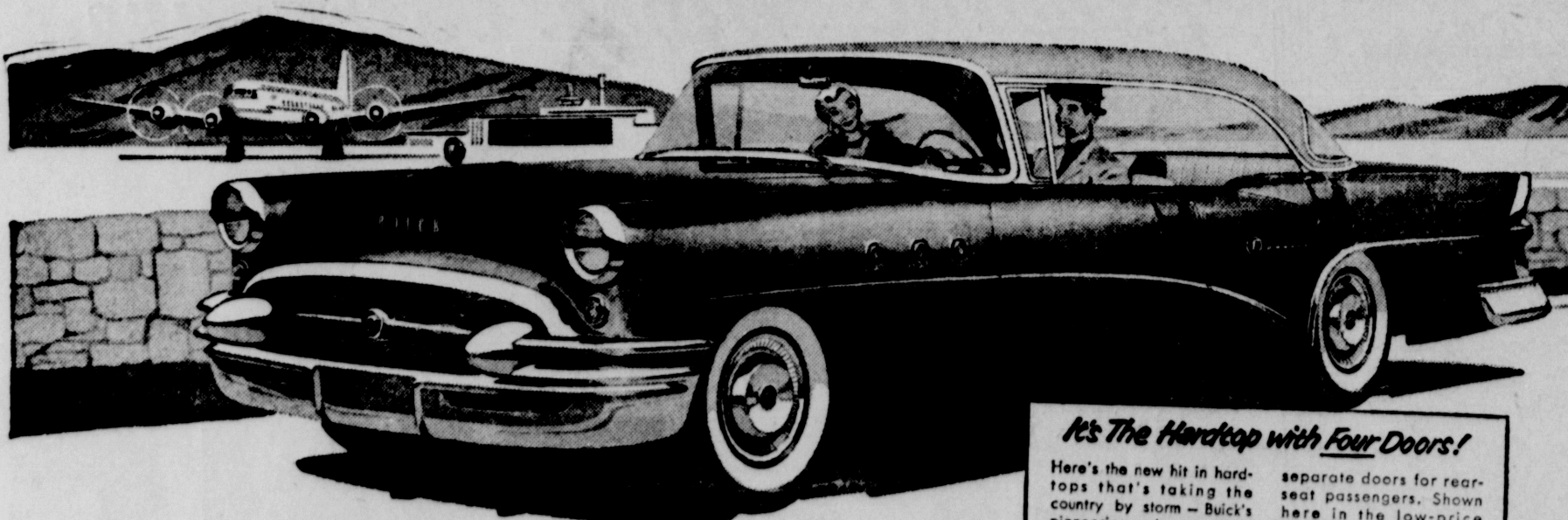
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Babo Cleanser	2 1/2-Oz. Can	17¢

Niblets Products		
Niblets Mexicorn	12-Oz. Can	19¢
Niblets Corn	12-Oz. Can	17¢

Vel Detergent	30¢	Shortening Snowdrift	83
Lrg. Pkg.		3-Lb. Can	
Cranberry Sauce			
Jellied or Whole. Serve			
with turkey. Ocean Spray			
30 Can			2

Lux Liquid Detergent	12-Oz. Bot.	39¢	All Detergent	24-Oz. Pkg.	35¢
Purex Liquid Bleach	40 Bot.	18¢	Chili Sauce Bennets	8-Oz. Bot.	19¢
Wheat Germ Kretschmer	12-Oz. Jar	32¢			

LaChoy Products		
Meatless Chop Suey LaChoy	20 Can	41¢
Chicken Chop Suey LaChoy	20 Can	73¢
Beef Chop Suey LaChoy	20 Can	7¢
Bean Sprouts LaChoy	30 Can	3¢
LaChoy Soy Sauce	2 1/2-Oz. Bot.	7¢
Chow Mein Noodles LaChoy	20 Can	7¢

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Parade Detergent	1-Lb. Can	30¢
Raisin Bread	1-Lb. Loaf	25¢
White Eggs	Doz.	56¢
Coca Cola or Dr. Pepper	12-Bot. Cin.	56¢

Vanilla Extract	4-Oz. Bot.	10¢
Black Pepper	4-Oz. Can	34¢
Sunnybank Margarine	1-Lb. Pkg.	29¢
Kitchen Craft Flour	10-Lb. Pkg.	99¢
Cheese Spread	3-Lb. Pkg.	85¢
Orange Juice	12-Oz. Can	31¢
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Russet Potatoes	Economy-pack	10-lb. Bag	75¢
White Onions	Mild	2 Lbs.	15¢
Fresh Corn	Well-filled ears	2 Ears	19¢
Crisp Lettuce	Firm and tender.	Lb.	25¢
New Potatoes	Clean and smooth.	2 Lbs.	25¢
Fresh Tomatoes	Large, ripe.	Cin.	23¢
Pascal Celery	Crackin'-fresh.	Lb.	15¢
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Sliced Bacon	Cello-packaged Capitol	1-Lb. Pkg.	49¢
Pork Sausage	Wingate	2-Lb. Pkg.	65¢
Pib Roast	Gov't graded calf	Lb.	57¢
Fresh Fryers		Lb.	49¢
Rump Roast	Gov't graded calf	Lb.	59¢
Sirloin Steak	U. S. gov't. graded calf	Lb.	69¢
Round Steak	or Swiss. U. S. gov't. graded calf	Lb.	79¢
Pork Roast	Loin-end	Lb.	53¢
Dry Salt Bacon	Center cut	Lb.	33¢
Smoked Picnic	Whole only	Lb.	35¢
Large Salami	Cello-packaged	8-Oz. Pkg.	29¢
Luncheon Meat	Spiced	8-Oz. Pkg.	27¢
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Bartlett Pears	Highway	No. 2 1/2 Can	31¢
Fine Desserts	Assorted flavors. Jell-well	2 3-Oz. Pkg.	9¢
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Canterbury Tea	Orange Pekoe	1/2-Lb. Pkg.	55¢
Lipton Tea	Orange Pekoe	1/2-Lb. Pkg.	65¢
Salad Dressing	Miracle Whip	32-Oz. Jar	39¢
Cheese	Cream. Plain, pimiento or Chive. Kraft Phila.	2 3-Oz. Pkg.	25¢
Ballard Biscuits	or Pillsbury. Buttermilk	8-Oz. Can	10¢
Frozen Desserts	Assorted flavors. Joyette	1/2-Gal. Cin.	39¢
Salad Dressing	Duchess	32-Oz. Jar	39¢

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Junior Baby Food	Gerber	4 1/2-Oz. Can
Cream of Wheat	5-Minute	14-Oz. Pkg.

Choc. Dairy Drink	Lac-Mix	1-Lb. Pkg.	43¢
Pork & Beans	Taste Tails	300 Cans	10¢
Whole Beets	Highway	2 12-Oz. Can	25¢
Armour Treet		4-Oz. Can	41¢
Chunk Tuna	Sea Trader	4-Oz. Can	29¢
Fleet Mix	Makes finer biscuits	40-Oz. Pkg.	45¢
Cake Mix	Angel Food. Pillsbury	16-Oz. Pkg.	54¢
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Mayonnaise	No-Made	16-Oz. Jar	44¢

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Ritz Crackers		1-Lb. Pkg.	35¢
Busy Baker Crackers	4 Ind. packets	1-Lb. Pkg.	25¢
Tea Timer Crackers	2 Ind. packets	1-Lb. Pkg.	35¢
Marshmallows	Cello-pack Full-Cast	1-Lb. Pkg.	29¢
Shady Lane Butter		1-Lb. Pkg.	68¢

Lucerne Sweet Milk	Home	1/2-Gal. Cin.	49¢
Lucerne Buttermilk		1/2-Gal. Cin.	39¢
Whipping Cream	Lucerne	8-Pk. Can	25¢
Cottage Cheese	Blossom Time	12-Oz. Can	15¢
White Bread	Regular. Sliced. or Plain.	24-Oz. Loaf	23¢
Iodized Salt	Sno-White	26-Oz. Pkg.	11¢
Shortening	Royal Sate	26-Oz. Pkg.	69¢
Ice Cream	Assorted Flavors. Snow Star	8-Lb. Can	23¢

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Maryland Club Coffee		1-Lb. Can	91¢
Folgers Coffee		1-Lb. Can	91¢
Instant Coffee	Edwards	3-Oz. Jar	55¢

Colgate Dental Cream		Gnt. Tube	45¢
Shaving Soap	Williams	Reg. Bar	10¢
After Shave Lotion	Woodbury. (Tax incl.)	8 1/2-Oz. Bot.	43¢
Woodbury Shampoo		8 1/2-Oz. Bot.	29¢
Toni Refill Kit	(Tax incl.)	1-Lb. Can	1.59
Hand Lotion	Honey & Almond	4 1/2-Oz. Bot.	55¢
Stopette	(Tax incl.)	4-Oz. Can	59¢
J & J Baby Powder	Skin Care	4-Oz. Can	27¢
Baby Magic	Moments	4-Oz. Bot.	49¢
Rubbing Alcohol		16-Oz. Bot.	19¢

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State Capitol NEWS

By Vern Sanford,
Manager, Texas Press Association

Austin.—Natural gas, trading stamps, cigars cigarettes, snuff, gasoline, uranium and beer license fees would be taxable under the bill to provide \$100,000,000 additional state revenue for the next two years.

Revealing sharp difference of opinion over the bill was the fact that it passed House engrossment by a close vote of 74 to 69.

Without surprise, the Legislature found it easier to spend money than to raise it. A few examples:

Liberalizing of the teachers' retirement system by constitutional amendment was voted by the House.

Governor Allen Shivers asked for emergency consideration by indemnity to owners of sheep and the Legislature of a bill to pay goats destroyed in an effort to halt a scabies epidemic.

Extension of the veterans' land program was approved by a Senate committee. (Theoretically, this program is self-financing. The state issues bonds to buy the land, and the bonds are retired as the veterans make payments on their property).

Requested by the governor was an appropriation to give underprivileged children the Salk polio vaccine.

Proposals were made by the Travis County delegation, that a state sponsor a supplement to state employee retirement benefits in amount of \$600,000 per year.

Seventeen amendments were added in the House before the car dealers' licensing bill gained initial approval.

Principal provisions of the bill would:

Make new car dealers pay \$50 for a sellers' license, and used car dealers \$25; prohibit offering for sale as a new car any vehicle that had been driven or towed more than 50 miles; and require dealers to post \$10,000 bond.

Original purpose of the bill, before the amendments were added, was to prevent used car dealers from offering latest model cars for sale as "new" cars.

A big segment of the Texas population lives in the Trinity River valley.

Hopes of those people for an organization to administer flood control, water conservation and irrigation were dimmed when the Senate water committee rejected a Trinity River Authority bill and sent it to a sub-committee.

Representative Barefoot Sanders of Dallas, who pushed the bill through the House, blamed the railroad lobby for its failure in Senate committee. Said Sanders:

"The railroads, in the final analysis, are responsible for this set-back because of the propaganda they put out on the effects of this bill."

Trouble was ahead for a proposed constitutional amendment rated high on the list of administration recommended water legislation.

Purpose of the measure would be to let the people vote on whether to authorize \$100,000,000 in bonds to finance water projects of the state.

Passed by the House, the resolution was patched with amendments. The Senate refused to concur and asked for a conference committee.

Far from abating, the veterans' land investigation was expanding and reaching as far afield as Minnesota.

Cecil E. Burney, special assistant attorney general, told the Senate investigating committee that two years ago, when Attorney General John Ben Sheppard was vacationing in Minnesota, he happened to see former land commissioner Bascom Giles.

Giles invited Sheppard to visit his Minnesota farm of 8,600 acres. When the veterans' land investigations began, Sheppard sent an investigator to Minnesota.

As a result of that investigation, Burney predicted, the people will hear that money from the veterans' land program went to Minnesota to buy land for Texas.

"It is amazing," said Burney,

North Central Church Adult TU Group Meets

Devotional was presented by the pastor, Rev. Woodrow McHugh, when members of the adult Training Union group of North Central Avenue Baptist Church met Tuesday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. Madden for a business session and social gathering.

The session was opened with group singing, followed by prayer by Mrs. Harold Lee. Closing prayer was offered by Jack Talbot.

Mrs. Madden and Mrs. Mullings served refreshments of ice cream, cake, cold drinks and coffee to 12 members and eight visitors.

"that some of the same people who were anxious to buy cheap Minnesota land at high prices were the same persons who were anxious to sell cheap land in Texas to veterans for equally high prices."

Another witness before the Senate investigating committee was Alvis Vandygriff, a former officer of the veterans land board.

Vandygriff testified that during a four-year period after he left the board, he received more than \$30,000 to expedite block land deals.

A bill by Representative W. W. Allen of Laredo was approved in House committee, permitting counties of 50,000 population and over to use funds for local advertising.

Under the bill, county Commissioners Courts could appropriate five cents per \$100 assessed property evaluation for the purpose. Under existing laws, counties of 100,000 population and over already are permitted to advertise.

Short Snorts: On foot is a drive for strict enforcement of narcotic laws and passage of new state legislation to help control the dope traffic. Three narcotics bills have passed the House and are in the Senate. . . . Passed by the Senate is a bill establishing a Texas commission on higher education to govern Texas' nine senior colleges and universities. Senator A. M. Aiken told the Senate the commission is necessary to take care of expanded enrollment and curricular problems of the institutions. . . . Gas companies would be permitted to sue the state for taxes paid under the unconstitutional gas gathering tax, according to a resolution passed by the House and by the Senate with amendments. . . . Texas oil production for May will be reduced, according to an order of the Texas Railroad Commission. Allowables will be 3,072,150 barrels daily, lowest of the year. Texas has enjoyed a near record oil flow for the past four months.

Mothers of Bluebirds Honored with Tea at Hut Tuesday Evening

Leaders and members of the Twin Circle Bluebird group of Camp Fire Girls honored mothers with a lovely tea at the Camp Fire Girls hut in West Hamlin Tuesday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

A welcoming committee composed of Rose Lovell, Mary Fitzgerald, Kathleen Hallmark and Judy Fitzgerald greeted the guests on arrival. Those serving cookies and punch at the tea table were Ann Johnson, Tanya Lawson and Sue Perryman. The table was arranged with a pink cloth and ornamented with net ruffles and nosegays of rose pink snapdragons. The room was lighted by hurricane lamps made by the Bluebirds as gifts for their mothers.

Following the refreshments, an entertainment committee, composed of Lynn Ann Miller and Joyce Ann Smith, presented a talent show in which each Bluebird girl participated. There were piano selections, tap dances, vocal numbers, recitations and group singing and riddles.

Mrs. Ray Johnson gave a welcoming address to the mothers and expressed her pleasure derived from association with the girls as their leader the past year. She then presented Mrs. Weldon Johnson and Mrs. J. C. Hallmark as the Bluebird leaders for the coming year.

Mrs. Johnson has been assisted the past year by Mrs. J. D. Adams, Mrs. J. H. Fitzgerald and Mrs. C. L. Howard.

The meeting was closed with prayer, and "goodbyes" were said at the door by Sue Johnson, Teresa Josey and Cynthia Howard. Guests present were Mrs. B. Hasen, Mrs. Joe Stevens, Mrs. J. H. Fitzgerald, Mrs. Weldon Johnson, Mrs. Bill Ford, Mrs. Vera Perryman, Mrs. Jake Lawson, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Berry, Mrs. James Josey, Mrs. J. H. Embrey, Mrs. Hallmark, Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Jay Fitzgerald.



WALKS AGAIN—Mrs. Ann Williams of Wichita Falls, who has been confined to a wheel chair since 1951 as a result of an auto-train accident at Houston, walks again. Mrs. Williams said she contracted polio 20 months after the accident, paralyzing her from the waist down. She stands with her husband, Air Force Sergeant W. R. Williams after shoving aside her wheel chair.

Chuck Abbott Kills Vicious Rattlesnake

Charlie (Chuck) Abbott, connected with Humble Oil Company in the area, was displaying a regular "granddaddy" diamond-back rattlesnake in town Monday morning which he had killed on the Neal lease west of town.

The snake, which was five feet long, was one of the finest specimens seen in Hamlin. Eleven rattlers remained intact on the huge snake, with probably that many more having been broken off.

Chuck declares he and the snake had quite a round before the reptile was subdued with a chain.

Mrs. J. W. McCrary to Present Music Pupils

Music pupils of Mrs. J. W. McCrary are to be presented in recital Monday evening, beginning at 7:30 o'clock in the high school auditorium, it was announced this week.

The evening's program will feature piano and accordion numbers of classical, practice and popular numbers. The public is invited to attend.

Many people take no care of their money till they come nearly to the end of it, and others do just the same with their time.

Demonstration Given On Outdoor Cooking For Bluebird Leaders

An outdoor cooking demonstration was given at the Hamlin City Park Tuesday morning at 9:15 o'clock by Ray Davis, district Boy Scout executive of Stamford, for leaders of the Bluebirds of the Camp Fire Girls and others interested.

Nine different items were prepared, including coffee can casserole, superdogs, baked potatoes baked in foil wrapper, kabob and biscuits and "some mares."

The following Bluebird leaders and others were present and participated in the preparations: Mrs. Willard Maberry, Mrs. Irby Weaver, Mrs. Ray Johnson, Mrs. A. J. Hallmark, Mrs. Nelson Shave, Mrs. Delbert Rountree, Mrs. Elmer Hawkins, Mrs. Irma Wallace, Mrs. James Fitzgerald and Mrs. Weldon Johnson.

Davis also gave instructions on the proper way to make a bed-roll for outdoor camping.

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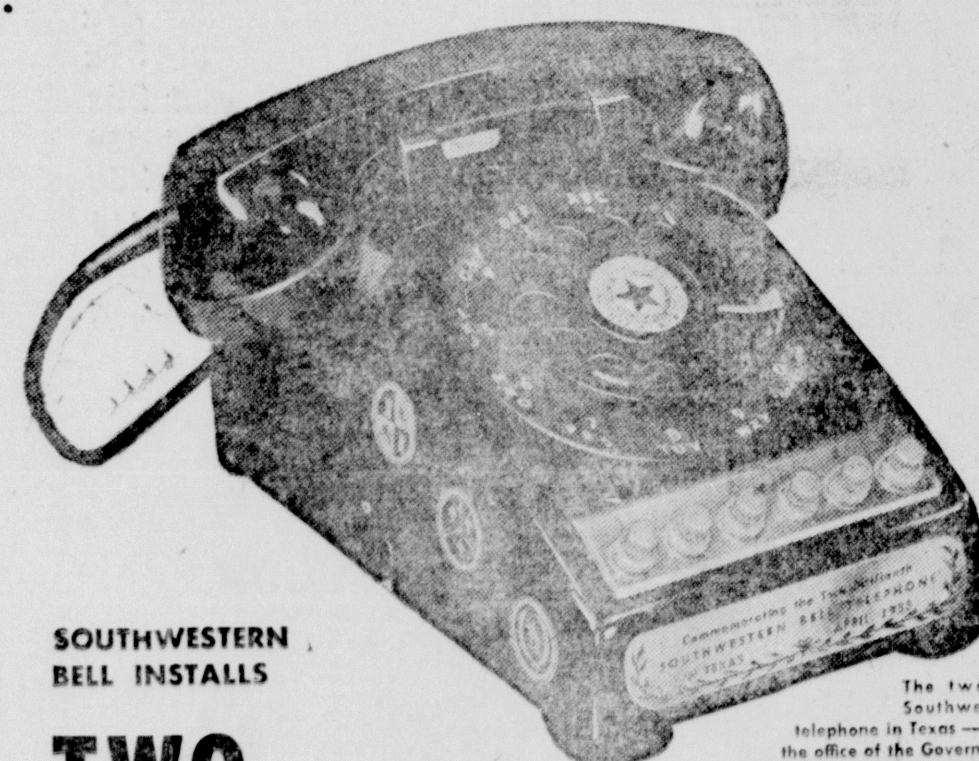
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This two millionth telephone is a far cry from the two telephones installed in 1878 connecting Col. A. H. Belo's office at the Galveston News with his nearby home.

Not quite 60 years ago—in August, 1947—Southwestern Bell installed its one millionth telephone in Texas. Thus, we have added as many telephones in the past eight years as during the previous 69.

Yet, the big story is not in the number of telephones—but what the telephone means to the state and nation. As telephones are added, miles shrink and the range of the human voice overcomes time and distance.

Two million Southwestern Bell telephones in Texas form a bridge of understanding that strengthens the social and economic ties between all the people within and beyond the boundaries of the Lone Star State.

The growth of a telephone system within a state is a good indication of the state's progress and prosperity. For instance, in 1925

TEXAS TELEPHONE MILESTONES

- 1878—First telephones connect Col. A. H. Belo's office in the Galveston News with his home.
- 1879—First telephone exchange in Texas opened in Galveston.
- 1883—First long distance telephone line connects Galveston and Houston.
- 1899—First lift-the-receiver switchboard installed in Dallas.
- 1927—Telephone calls to Europe possible for Texans.
- 1929—Ship-to-shore telephone service started.
- 1938—Southwestern Bell's 500,000th telephone installed.
- 1946—First telephones in moving vehicles.
- 1947—Southwestern Bell installs one millionth telephone in Houston home of Mr. and Mrs. Gunter W. Koeller.
- 1952—Operator long distance dialing introduced.
- 1953—Customer long distance dialing possible from Hamlin to 13 Valley cities.
- 1955—Two millionth Southwestern Bell telephone installed.

Southwestern Bell served Texans with \$58 million in telephone property; by 1940 this had grown to \$139 million; and by 1955, the company served Texans with \$650 million in telephone plant. Because telephone growth is made possible by money invested by citizens in all walks of life, the two millionth Southwestern Bell telephone in Texas is a symbol of trust and confidence in the future of the state.

We are still growing and expanding with Texas—building more and better telephone equipment throughout the state . . . planning to meet the telephone needs of the future—whatever they may be.

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rear (in.)	41.9	42.8	41.8	43.8	45.0
Head room, front (in.)	35.1	35.6	35.6	35.6	35.5
rear (in.)	34.2	35.9	34.0	34.6	34.9
Shoulder room, front (in.)	57.0	56.6	58.2	58.2	58.0
rear (in.)	56.8	56.4	56.7	56.7	57.8
Maximum trunk depth (in.)	48.9	48.4	46.0	46.0	55.0
Floor covering, front	Carpet	Rubber	Rubber	Rubber	Rubber
rear	Carpet	Carpet	Rubber	Rubber	Rubber
Foam-rubber seat cushions	YES	NO	NO	NO	Front Only
Two-stage front door checks	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO
Center-Fill Fueling	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO
Suspended brake and clutch pedals	YES	NO	NO	NO	YES
Horsepower, maximum (V-8)	182	180	188	185	175
Torque, maximum (lbs.-ft.)	268	264	256	320	240
Compression ratio (to 1)	8.5	8.0	8.4	8.5	7.6
18-mm. spark plugs	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO
Dual exhaust	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO
4-barrel carburetor	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO
Ball-joint front suspension	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO
Brake lining area (sq. in.)	192	178	185	192	174

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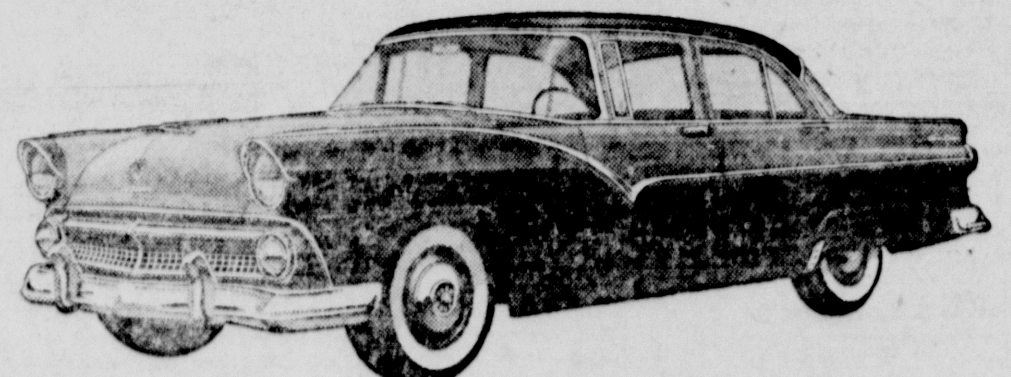
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Indian Lore Told to Rotary Group by Houston Walker

Attendees at the Wednesday noon luncheon of Hamlin Rotary Club were given a history lesson in Indian lore by Rev. Houston Walker, pastor of the First Baptist Church, when the civic group met at the oil mill guest house.

Walker is the son of a former trader with the Navajo Indians of New Mexico, where the family resided for many years. The Indian trader died recently at the age of 86, after spending nearly 50 years among the Indians, the minister declared.

Navajo Indians number between 55,000 and 65,000 and live on reservations of arid desert land in Arizona, New Mexico and Colorado. The tribes, which occupy homes called hogans, made of adobe, subsist principally on goat meat, bread and coffee, Walker declared.

Laverne Wilson, senior at Hamlin High School, was recognized as Junior Rotarian for the month of May.

Guests at the Wednesday noon luncheon were Hugo B. Haterius, W. M. Blackburn, Charles R. Hewett and J. W. Maddox of Stamford; Caleb Simmons of Sweetwater.

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BROWNELL VISITS SHIVERS—In an unpublicized visit, Attorney General Herbert Brownell was guest for three days of Governor and Mrs. Allan Shivers at Magnolia Hills, the governor's country home near Woodville. Brownell (right) had been in Dallas to make a speech and afterwards went with the governor to his home for a week-end visit.

REPAIRED SLIGHTLY.

An antique collector, passing through a small village, stopped to watch an old man chopping wood with a very ancient ax.
"That's a mighty old ax you have there," remarked the collector.
"Yes," said the villager. "It once belonged to George Washington."
"Not really!" It certainly has stood up well."
"Of course," the old man said. "It's had three new handles and two new heads."

You're an old timer if you remember when a woman's skirts kept her shoes shined.

Dean of Jacksonville College Leads Revival At Calvary Church

Dr. W. J. Dorman, dean of the seminary at Jacksonville Baptist College, will do the preaching in an eight-day series of revival services opening Sunday at the Calvary Baptist Church, 753 South Central Avenue, near the McCaulley highway Y, according to W. C. Rea, pastor.

The services, being scheduled at 10:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. each day, will continue through Sunday, May 15.

Dr. Dorman, an outstanding Bible scholar of the denomination, is a forceful speaker and evangelist, declares Pastor Rea. The singing will be directed by Carl Campbell of Goree.

Prayer services are scheduled each evening at 7:00 o'clock, preceding the evening services.

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TEXANS IN WASHINGTON

By TEX EASLEY,
AP Washington Correspondent

Washington.—Two Texans are on teams the Defense Department sends out over the country to promote understanding and cooperation between the military and civilian segments of the economy.

They are Marine Colonel Guy H. Kissinger, who calls San Antonio home, and Air Force Colonel Henry D. Smith Jr. of Muleshoe. Kissinger is a 1938 A. & M. College graduate; Smith attended St. Mary's University at San Antonio.

They are on the faculty of the Industrial College of the armed forces, located here. Senior military officers and key civilian government employees take 10-month courses there.

The six-man teams to which the Texans belong have been assigned to conduct National Resources Conferences in eight cities.

Austin is one of the 16 U. S. cities where a conference will be held, the only one in Texas. There, in a 10-day period starting May 16, one team of instructors will try to present a condensed version of the 10-month course given here.

The conference is to be held in Batts Hall auditorium, at the University of Texas. Reserve Army, Navy, Air Force and Marine Corps officers, who will be called into active duty for that period, will be reserved 170 seats. The remainder of the 500 seats will be occupied by civilian leaders invited to attend.

Sponsor of the conference in Austin will be the Chamber of Commerce.

Colonel Kissinger, spading the ground for the May meeting, accepted an invitation to address an Armed Forces Association luncheon in Austin January 20.

Around the Capital:

One of the things first noticed by freshmen congressmen who served in the state Legislatures where automatic voting devices are used is that the old name calling system is still in use here.

Representative Jim Wright of Weatherford, who had served at Austin, made this observation in a weekly news letter.

"When a record vote is required, bells ring in all the offices, elevators are reserved for members, and the subway under the park to the capitol building is jammed with legislators scurrying for the House chamber to be tallied.

"This is the reason voting machines have never been installed in the U. S. Congress. The roll call takes 20 minutes, and this allows members time to come over from the office building and have their votes recorded."

On the House floor during President Eisenhower's state of the union address was former Representative John E. Lyle of Corpus Christi. He retired voluntarily to resume law practice in Texas. Lyle said he had come up primarily to see old friends and introduce his successor, Representative Joe Bell of Cuero.

James Doss, president of the Merchants and Farmers Bank at Weatherford, must admit there are a lot of efficient and honest folks around Washington.

Accompanied by Larry Blackmon, Mineral Wells contractor, he came up on business and decided to drop by the office of their new congressman, Jim Wright. The lawmaker was out, but one of his aides, Craig Raup, took over and invited them to join him in a cup

of coffee in the basement cafeteria.

Enjoying his coffee, Doss was surprised when a congressional secretary came up and informed him he could recover his billfold in the office of Representative Bob Poage of Waco. It was being held for him there by Poage's secretary, Lacey Sharp.

This is what happened: Doss had dropped it out of his pocket in one of the building corridors. A charwoman picked it up and noticed it belonged to someone from Texas. She went in the nearest Texas office, Poage's, and gave it to Sharp. He saw the owner was from Wright's district, and called that office to learn Doss had gone to the cafeteria.

The banker had not known of the loss.

Seventh graders in the Avenue D elementary school in Killean collected \$7 and sent it to Congressman Poage with the request he get them an American flag and have it flown over the U. S. capitol for a day—not an unusual request. Poage complied.

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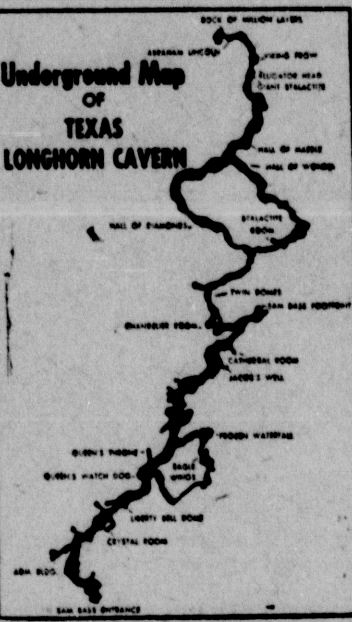
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Underground map of famous Texas Longhorn Cavern shows the two miles of subterranean passageways that have been opened to visitors and some of the amazing natural phenomena that make the cavern one of the most spectacular scenic wonders of Texas and the nation. The tremendous cavern, located in Longhorn Cavern State Park near Burnet, is the largest cave in Texas and the third largest in the world.

Longhorn Cavern, which is the third largest cave in the world in its present form, already can boast of a greater variety of natural phenomena than any of the other great caves of the world.

Every one of the tremendous chambers and the passageways which connect them is different—due to the diversity of the rock layers through which the cavern was carved by an ancient river.

The Chandelier Room has grotesque stalactites hanging like weird chandeliers from the ceiling. In the Dome Room the ceiling is pitted with strange dome-like depressions. Crystallized calcite in the fabulous Hall of Diamonds makes the walls sparkle as though encrusted with precious gems.

One long tunnel is reminiscent of the Catacombs of ancient Rome. Iron oxide gives a rich glowing red color to the walls in many parts of the cavern. The Main Room is 183 feet long and has had as many as 2,860 people in it at one time (and wasn't ever crowded).

In the section still closed to the public, two lower levels have been explored, one 185 feet below the surface and the other an eerie 310 feet deep. And the end has not yet been reached, even by the most enterprising bands of "spelunkers." As the cave experts say, no telling how much farther the cave goes, winding its way beneath the craggy hills of the Highland Lakes resort country.

Guided tours leave the cavern's administration building every hour, and the cave is open every day of the year. The round trip stroll to and from the deepest point on the tour, 120 feet underground, takes about two hours. Temperature remains at a comfortable 64 degrees, no matter how hot it gets outside.

Already one of Texas' most alluring scenic attractions for out-of-state tourists, the cavern is also unusually accessible for sightseeing Texans from all corners of the state.

The famous cave is located in beautiful Longhorn Cavern State

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Longhorn Cavern Near Burnet Rated as Third Largest in World and Most Unique

Numbers of Hamlin area people have already visited Texas Longhorn Cavern near Burnet, while still others are interested in including the cavern on their vacation menu for this summer.

The two miles of Texas Longhorn Cavern now open to the public and the six additional miles that have been explored hint at yet undiscovered marvels that may come to light if the subterranean vastness of the huge cave is ever thoroughly charted, in the opinion of qualified cave experts.

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Hamlin Lions Plan to Go to Children's Camp

Investigation into arrangements and costs of a group trip by members of the Hamlin Lions Club to the Texas Lions Clubs' Chipped Children's Home at Kerrville soon is being made, according to officials of the local civic group.

Suggestion made by I. R. Hutchinson at the Tuesday luncheon of the Hamlin club that members inspect the unique vacation camp for cripples was taken with much interest. The investigation into costs of a trip, provisions for the local group having lunch at the camp and other details is being handled by club officials.

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF EQUALIZATION.

In obedience to the order of the Board of Equalization regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization for Jones County will be in session at its regular meeting place in the courthouse in the town of Anson, Jones County, Texas, at 9:00 a. m. on Thursday, the 19th day of May, 1955, for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property located in Jones County, Texas, for taxable purposes for the year 1955 and any and all persons interested or having business with said board are hereby notified to be present.—Gene Spurgin Jr., County Clerk, Jones County, Anson, Texas, this 5th day of May, 1955. 1c

Mechanical Condition of Car Determines Much of Safety of Operation for Owner

"In a tight traffic situation, your life may depend on the efficiency of your car. Have your car checked regularly for safe handling, Hamlin area motorists are advised by E. C. McFadden, president of the Texas Safety Association, as he urged them to keep their vehicles in good mechanical repair by periodical safety checks, as recommended by the Texas Safety Association, Department of Public Safety and the National Safety Council.

"It's foolish to trust to luck when it's so simple to find out the true condition of your car," McFadden said.

McFadden suggested the 10-point check program recommended by Texas Safety Association, Department of Public Safety and National Safety Council, which uses the following standards:

1. Brakes should take hold evenly on all wheels. The hand brake should be able to hold the car on any hill. Brake fluid should be clean and at the proper level.
2. Headlights should be at the proper level for maximum illumination and minimum glare. Lenses should be clean and reflectors bright.
3. Rear and stop lights should operate properly. Directional signals should also be checked.
4. Tires should be checked for wear and proper inflation.



MRS. TEXAS—Mrs. James Gunn of El Paso, a pretty blue-eyed brunette, won the "Mrs. Texas of 1956" title in a contest which judged ability as a homemaker at Austin. She will represent the Lone Star State in the "Mrs. America 1956" contest which will be held in Florida.

5. Wheel alignment should be checked.
6. Exhaust system and muffler

Hamlin Memorial Hospital

Patients admitted to the Hamlin Memorial Hospital since last week's report in The Herald have included: Mrs. Bill Simmons of Roby, medical, April 26; Jimmy Simmons, medical, April 27; Mrs. Clarence Miller, medical, April 26; Danny Cary, medical, April 26; Mrs. Jack Russell, surgery, April 27; Mrs. Bertha Lawson of Austin, medical, April 28; Danny Warner, medical, April 28; Kenneth Whitehurst of Hawley, surgery, April 27; Mrs. Lewis Woolf, medical, April 28; Douglas Ford surgery, April 29; V. M. Jean, medical, April 28; Jesse Stanford, medical, April 28; Pat Decker of Roby, medical, April 27; C. A. Gray of Sylvester, medical, April 28; J. C. Peters of Roby, medical, April 29; Rev. Woodrow McHugh, medical, April 29; Janice Ueckert, surgery, April 29; Mrs. E. L. Boils, medical, April 29; Rex Beauchamp of Roby, surgery, April 29; Bob Meeks, medical, April 29; Mrs. Jesse Stanford, medical, April 30; Mrs. Ida Nichols, medical, April 30; Mrs. G. M. Bond, medical, April 30; Jimmy McElyea of Sylvester, surgery, May 1; Mrs. J. H. Lawlis of McCauley, medical, May 2; M. H. Castleberry, medical, May 2; Mrs. J. T. Johnson, medical, May 2; Jess Parrish, medical, May 2; Harry Stacy, medical, May 1; Mrs. Emma Collum of Aspermont, medical, May 1; Fred Kidwell, medical, May 3; Mrs. Victor Rangle of Rotan, ob., May 3; J. O. Parker, medical, May 3; Justin Rowland, medical, May 3.

Patients Dismissed—Mrs. E. C. Smith of Sylvester, April 27; Mrs. A. D. Hardy of Sylvester, April 28; Tommy Hood of Sylvester, April 23; Mrs. J. W. Bevels, April 30; Mrs. John Brown Jr., May 2; Yolanda Orona, April 26; Mrs. Tom Holman, April 29; Mrs. Bill Maddox, April 26; Mrs. L. E. Hines, April 26; Mrs. Ned Ward of Aspermont, April 29; Dean Witt, April 29; Mrs. Jesse Stanford, April 30; G. W. Martin, April 28; Rita Maynard, April 27; Mrs. Wayland Woolf, April 28; Homer Raney, April 29; Evelyn Kidwell, May 1; Mrs. Blake Davis of Aspermont, April 29; Mrs. Bill Simmons of Roby, April 29; Jimmy Simmons, April 29; Mrs.

7. Windshield wipers should be operating with blades checked to see if they "drive" and clean.
8. Glass should be clear, free of cracks or discolorations.
9. Horn should be working properly.
10. Rear-view mirror should give a clear view of the road behind.



DIES OF ATTACK—David Rasco, managing editor of the Amarillo Globe-Times and Daily News, died at his home of a heart attack at the age of 37. He had been on the newspaper since 1937. Rasco had been managing editor since 1951, and managing editor of the afternoon Globe-Times since last May.

Lovely flowers are the smiles of God's goodness—William Wilberforce.

Then there is the fellow who gets a bang out of his hobby—he builds cannons.

Jack Johnson was the last negro heavyweight boxing champion before Joe Louis.

None preaches better than the ant, and she says nothing.—Benjamin Franklin.

Bachelor: A man who would rather have a girl on his mind than on his neck.

To ask wisdom of God is the beginning of wisdom.—Mary Baker Eddy.

One-half the world tries to prevent his better-half from knowing how he lives.

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All-Day Meeting to Climax Sunset Revival

As a climax to the eight-day series of revival services being conducted at the Sunset Missionary Baptist Church, across the street east of Hamlin Junior High School, an all-day gathering is set for Sunday, according to Mrs. J. B. Seifres, church clerk.

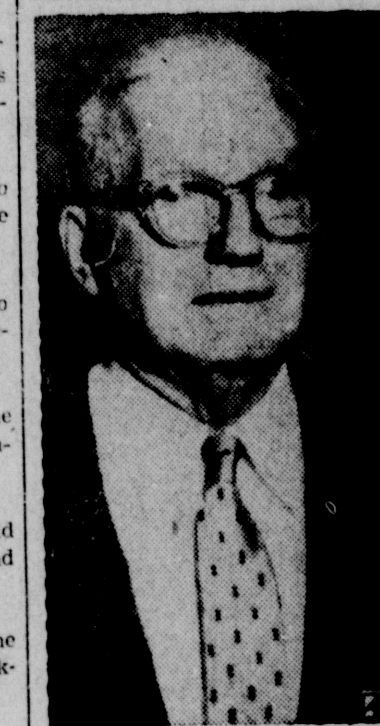
Attendants will bring basket lunches to the church, and dinner will be spread for the noon meal. The public is invited to attend the Sunday services and the dinner.

E. S. Sheppard of Jacksonville, former Hamlin pastor, is doing the preaching in the meeting that opened last Sunday and continues through Sunday evening.

Some people live by their wits—others by the lack of other people's wits.

Lives there a man with head so hard—he won't stop driving when he's tard.

Actions speak louder than words—but many people attempt to shout actions down.



PRACTITIONER—Dr. Robert W. Holton of Terrell (above) was named General Practitioner of the year by the Texas Medical Association. Dr. Holton has practiced in Kaufman County for 54 years.

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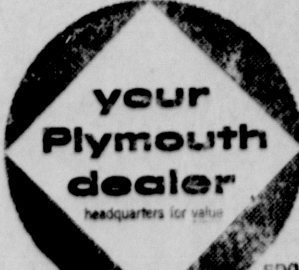
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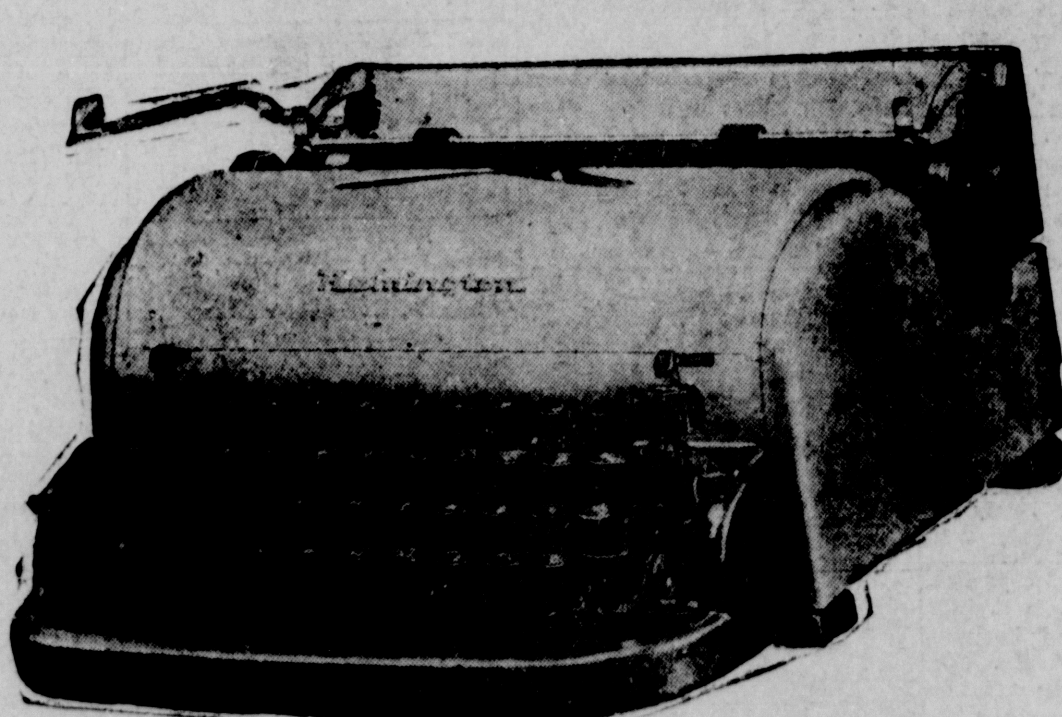
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Slight Increase in Cash Income of Farmers Tabulated

Texas farmers have experienced a slight increase in cash income, but the index of prices they received has fallen, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reports in a release to The Herald.

January-February cash income totalled slightly more than \$248,200,000, a gain of one per cent over the \$245,000,000 registered for the same period last year. An \$8,000,000 rise in revenue from cattle (from \$41,000,000 to \$49,000,000 or 20 per cent) accounted primarily for the overall increase.

Other income increases were registered for sheep and lambs, up 44 per cent; and wheat, up 37 per cent. Decreases included cotton, down five per cent from \$99,400,000 to \$96,200,000; peanuts, down 47 per cent; and eggs, down 178 per cent.

The bureau also reported the index of prices received by Texas farmers and ranchers for all products totalled 266 in mid-March, four points below mid-February and five points below March a year ago. The index shows that nearly every commodity decreased from mid-February to mid-March. Exceptions were lambs, chickens and citrus fruit, the only commodities showing an increase.

The index of livestock and livestock products stood at 283 on March 15, a drop of five points from February 15, 1955, and 17 points lower than March, 1954. The crop index was 253, a decline of three points from the middle of February.

Meanwhile, the bureau said the number of calves born in Texas during 1954, estimated at 4,259,000 head, was one per cent above the 4,211,000 head born in 1953, and is the largest on record.

Trouble lies ahead for the person who decides he is a little too good for his job.

Self confidence: What a person has who does a crossword puzzle with a fountain pen.

Modern art proves the old saying that things are seldom as bad as they are painted.

The Hawaiian Islands were formerly the Sandwich Islands.

Life may not begin at 40, but that's when it begins to show.



MOTHER PRAYS FOR BLIND TRIPLETS TO SEE—This little West Texas town, Hart, burst with pride when its first triplets—Don, Lon and Jon Sittion—were born nine months ago and then turned to sorrow when it learned they were blind. Nobody has given the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sittion, much hope that the boys will ever see normally. Doctors say the triplets were afflicted with a disease of the blood vessels in premature infants. "But I haven't lost hope," said Mrs. Sittion, shown above with the boys. "I keep praying." Because they are blind, their sense of balance is not yet too acute and they can't sit alone. Otherwise they are husky and frisky.

Alton Kite Honored At McMurry College For Outstanding Work

A Hamlin student at McMurry College in Abilene was one of two students given special recognition for achievement in the college's business administration department. Alton Kite was the Hamlin student.

The recognitions were made by Dr. Andrew C. Rockover, department chairman. The young men were selected for the honors by Dr. Rockover and other professors of the department.

Kite, a junior, is a graduate of Hamlin High School. He participated in football, basketball and baseball at Hamlin. Before going to McMurry, he attended Cisco Junior College and served two years in the Army. He was discharged in September, 1953, as a second lieutenant. Kite is majoring in business and minoring in government at McMurry.

Santa Fe Carloadings For Week Above 1954

Santa Fe Railway System carloadings for week ending April 30, 1955, were 24,397 compared with 19,728 for the same week in 1954. Cars received from connections totaled 13,182 compared with 11,740 for the same week in 1954. Total cars moved were 37,589 compared with 31,468 for the same week in 1954. Santa Fe handled a total of 36,951 cars in the preceding week of this year.

The man who continually boasts about his principles usually means his prejudices.

Stephen Day set up the first printing press in the U. S. in 1638.

Example has more followers than reason.—Christian Bovee.

There are only four perceptible tastes—sweet, salt, bitter and sour.

IT'S THE LAW IN TEXAS

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(This column, based on Texas law, is written to inform—not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who knows the facts, because the facts may change the application of the law.)

STATUTORY COPYRIGHT LAW EXPLAINED.

Copyrights are of two types: Common Law and Statutory. In general, the common law copyright protects unpublished works, and the statutory copyright protects published works. The following discussion applies to published works and the statutory copyright.

The United States copyright statutes give to authors, composers and artists the exclusive right to their published works for a period of 28 years. During that time others are prohibited from copying or reprinting such works without permission of the copyright owner. Statutory copyrights are renewable once for a second 28 years.

Works that may be protected under our copyright laws include books (not only bound volumes, but also pamphlets, leaflets and even single sheets); periodicals (newspapers, magazines, reviews, bulletins, proceedings of societies, serial publications, etc., which appear at regular intervals of less than a year); contributions to periodicals; lectures, sermons or addresses prepared for oral delivery; musical compositions and dramatic or dramatic musical compositions.

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lished three dimensional works of art; reproductions of works of art; drawings or plastic works of scientific or technical character; photographs; prints and pictorial illustrations including prints (advertisements) or labels used for articles of merchandise; motion picture photoplays; and motion pictures other than photoplays.

The principal steps to be taken in securing a statutory copyright include: (1) Properly marking the work with a notice of copyright; (2) publishing the work; and then (3) filing with the Register of Copyrights in Washington an application for registration of the copyright. A relatively small fee and a specified number of copies of the work must accompany the application.

It should be noted that the marking must precede publication and that both of these steps must precede the filing of the application.

Failure to incorporate the notice of copyright before publication or to set it up in proper form or to place it in the proper place on the works will result in abandonment to the public of claimant's rights. He will lose his copyright. Requirements vary in respect to the form of the notice, and the place on the works at which it should appear—depending on the nature of the works, whether they are published or unpublished, and other factors.

On some works it is mandatory that the notice contain the word "Copyright" or the abbreviation "Copr."; on certain other works, the letter "C" enclosed within a circle may be used instead. On some works the notice must include the year in which the work was first published.

In every notice the copyright claimant must be identified. In some cases the full name of the claimant is required; in others

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By d'Alessio



"Oh, give her any excuse... tell her I'm busy, or something!"

the initials or monogram or an identifying mark or symbol is sufficient. The name or mark may be that of the creator of the work or of one to whom the copyright has been assigned.

Here is an example to show the effect of a copyright: A copyright on a map of Texas does not preclude another from publishing a map of Texas, provided he gets his information from original sources. The copyright does preclude another from copying the map protected by copyright. Further, the copyright law does not normally protect titles as such, nor abstract ideas, but rather the copyright grants the right to preclude others from copying an expression of an abstract idea.

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Young Man—"So this Nellie is your oldest sister? Who comes after her?"

Little Brother—"Nobody ain't come yet, but Pa says the first fellow that comes can have her."

The first great gift we can bestow on others is a good example.—Sir Charles Morrell

The Mormon Church was founded in 1830 by Joseph Smith in Fayette, New York.

To cultivate a garden is to walk with God.—Christian Bovee.

A ship weighs the same or less than the water it displaces.

Blue Panic Plantings In Area Looking Good Despite Recent Freeze

Blue panic grass is looking good this year despite the out-of-season freeze we have just had, report leaders of the California Creek Soil Conservation District.

Before the freeze, blue panic grass was up to the height of six inches, a good three weeks before Johnson grass greened out. Even now, since the freeze, it is back up to 10 inches and in most cases these blue panic grass patches have had stock on them for several weeks.

When you are in the Hamlin area, stop by the Willard Maberry, Jerry Maberry or Willie Maberry farms; in the Sagerton area, the B. Kupatt or M. D. Thompson farms; in the Stamford and Avoca area, the E. W. Carlson, Hiram E. Olson or B. O. Youngquist farms and see the good growth and grazing provided by blue panic grass.

For further information, farmers and ranchers are invited to contact the Soil Conservation Service technicians assisting the California Creek Soil Conservation District.

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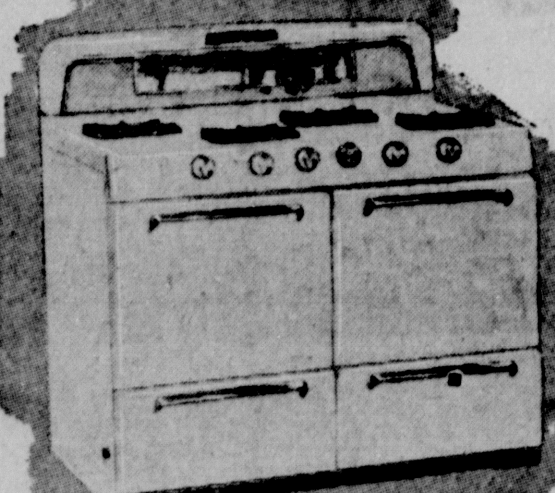
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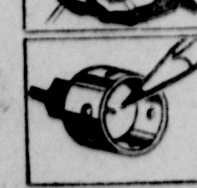
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Congressman Burleson Agrees With President That Battlefronts to Be Quiet

Congressman Omar Burleson, in his regular weekly news release, "Washington: As It Looks from Here," this week discusses the world peace situation. He says: "For the first time in a quarter of a century now there is no major shooting war in the world—the first time since Japan's war machine rolled over Manchuria. On the other hand, there are places of high sensitivity which could set off a conflict at any time. Past experiences show that wars are started by miscalculations. History shows that both World War I and World War II may not have occurred if the intentions of the Western powers had been realized. The same was true of the Korean War."



Syngman Rhee has said, "Those who will not learn from history will be required to repeat it." Eisenhower's popularity is no doubt largely due to keeping us out of war. His future popularity may depend upon a continuing peace.

A retired general, whose predictions have been brilliant, tells me he sees quiet on the battlefield for the next several years. We all hope, of course, he is right. There are a number of reasons why we may be persuaded to share the general's views. First, we have never been better prepared for war than we are right now.

Second, Russia has many internal problems which she will need to solve before starting an all-out war.

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Third, Red China cannot hope to succeed in a major war without the backing of Russia.

Fourth, the Russian Bear and the Chinese Dragon are not very comfortable bed-fellows. They live in the same house, but do not go out together.

Fifth, a fair balance of power has been reached in Europe. If Nehru of India should emerge as the leader of the "third force" in Asia there may be a prospect of a balance of power in that part of the world.

Some high-powered officials in the administration want to include only the purchase price and accrued interest of government bonds in the public debt. They do not want to include the maturity value, which makes it look considerably worse.

Probably the best way to make the national debt look better is to consider that as of June 30, 1954, the last inventory date, the United States government owned \$66,000,000,000 of personal property in military warehouses ready for issue.

In addition to this value of military supplies, the government owns \$48,500,000,000 in other personal property.

Although there is no government-wide inventory of real property, federal investment, exclusive of the public domain, is estimated at \$40,000,000,000. Not only do these figures not include land in the public domain, but it does not include surplus farm commodities and stockpiles of strategic materials. It might be said that the federal government is solvent insofar as its debts are concerned when these tremendous values are added up, but there is a catch to it. Some of this property is "surplus" or "excess," which means that if it is not used but disposed of, the government usually receives about five to seven per cent of the acquisition cost.

Speaking of surplus farm products, the Department of Agriculture reports that it has disposed abroad of \$145,000,000 worth in the past two years. Pending deals are supposed to move another



LAST WEEK'S MYSTERY FARM PICTURE (above) was correctly identified first by Mrs. Lonnie Parsons of Sylvester as the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Mayo, six and one-half miles southwest of Hamlin. The Mayos have occupied the place since 1923. Cotton and feed crops are the chief crops cultivated by the Mayos, who have practiced good soil conservation practices through cooperation with the California Creek Soil Conservation District. They have two children, both of whom have families of their own.

Safety First Rule for Bicyclists Urged In Drive to Combat Mounting Accidents

"Luck runs out, but safety is good for life," E. C. McFadden, of Dallas, new president of the Texas Safety Association, told Texas bicyclists this week.

McFadden spoke in connection with the child pedestrian and bicycle safety program being sponsored state-wide by his organization and the State Department of Public Safety in cooperation with the National Safety Council.

"The phrase, 'Safety is good for life,' has a double meaning," McFadden said. "First, safety never becomes useless or obsolete—it lasts a lifetime. And second, practicing safety can mean the difference between life and death to bicyclists."

"National Safety Council statistics for 1953," he said, "show that 360 bicyclists under the age of 15 were killed in motor vehicle accidents. About 26,000 bicyclists in the same age group were injured. Of those killed, half were injured in cities, and half in rural areas."

"It doesn't seem possible to over-emphasize the serious threat

\$350,000,000 in surplus foods in 1955.

To emphasize the importance of women and young people in politics, a political speaker recently said, "Take the word 'family.' Strike out the 'm' for 'mother' and the 'y' for 'youth'—what you have left is 'fail'."

Ralph Waldo Emerson said, "Every man I meet is in some way my superior; and in that I can learn from him."

to life and limb that bicycle riding can be to those who are reckless or careless," McFadden said. He listed eight rules for safe riding. They are:

1. Ride with traffic, and keep to the far right.
2. Do not weave or stunt. Ride in a straight line.
3. When with friends, ride in single file.
4. Put books and packages in a carrier attached to the bicycle, and never carry passengers on your bike.
5. In traffic, obey all applicable, signs, signals and traffic laws.
6. Never hitch on to a passing truck, automobile or any vehicle.
7. If you must ride at night have a good light and a rear reflector.
8. Keep your bicycle in good condition.

West Texas in Worst Drouth Shape in Years

John White, state commissioner of agriculture, who recently made a survey through West Texas, declared in Austin this week that, "Much of the land in West Texas is in far worse shape now than at any time in history."

He said conditions in the drouth area are worse than in the "dust bowl" era of the 1930s. Much of the West Texas territory has had less than an inch of rain this year. Hamlin has received 3.38 inches.

It would appear that the family tree of some confidence men must be a slippery elm.

Sylvester Woman First to Identify Mystery Picture

Mrs. Lonnie Parsons of Sylvester was the first to correctly identify last week's mystery farm picture, No. 15 in the series of aerial views of Hamlin area farm and ranch scenes being printed in The Herald as an interest feature. She will receive a one-year subscription to Your Home Town Paper.

The mystery farm picture was of the place of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Mayo, six and one-half miles south west of Hamlin.

The place was purchased by the Mayos 32 years ago. It was originally known as the Reaves place, having been settled by that family about 1906.

Since purchasing the farm in 1923, the Mayos have built a new home, in 1945, and added other farm structures. An addition 40 acres of farm land has also been added to the original place by the family.

Cotton has been the principal crop on the Mayo place for years, with wheat, maize and kaffir corn supplementing the major cash crop. Using modern farming methods, the place has been terraced and contoured for a number of years in an effort to utilize the water. He is a member of the California Creek Soil Conservation District.

Mr. and Mrs. Mayo are members of the Baptist Church. They have two children, Mrs. Myrna Bell Fairley of Albuquerque, New Mexico, and B. A. Mayo of Grand Prairie.

BALANCE CAN WAIT.

A company received an anonymous letter enclosing a \$50 check. "This is money I stole from you. Haven't had a good night's sleep since."

At the bottom of the letter was a P. S. . . . "If I still can't sleep . . . will send the balance."

Asked if a year of college had made any difference in his eldest son, a farmer replied:

"Well, he's still a good hand with the plow, but in office his language has changed. It used to be 'Whoa, Becky! Haw! and Get Up!' Now when he comes to the end of a row, he says, 'Halt, Rebecca! Pivot! and Proceed!'"

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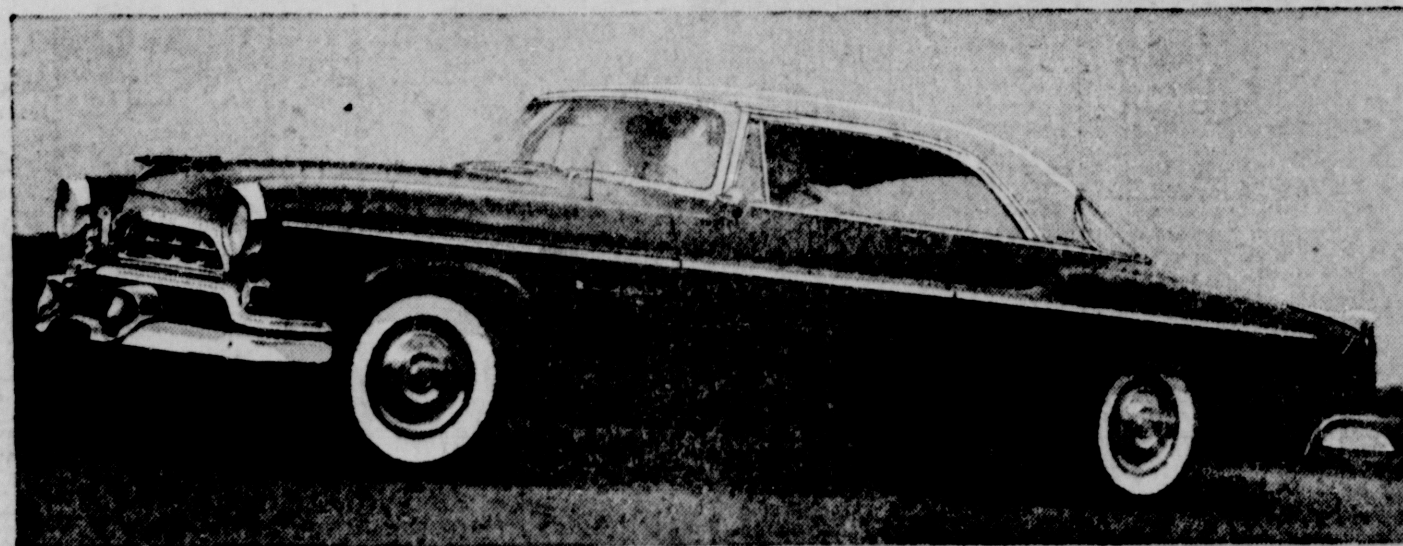
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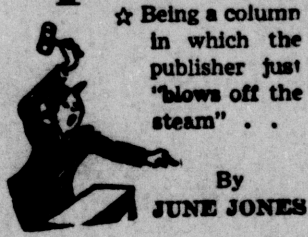
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A HAMLIN AIRMAN visiting the other day from his base, was telling homefolks here the following story:

A pilot was flying a plane containing two atom bombs when both of his motors went dead. He made for the nearest airport.

"This is Smith," he radioed, "flying at 20,000, two atom bombs aboard, both motors dead, what instructions?"

No response. At 10,000 feet the same message came through. No response. At 2,000 feet he blasted out again. This time he got a response.

"Smith, this is O'Brien. Repeat after me . . . 'Our Father which art in heaven'."

AUTHOR of the thought-provoking ode on the power of words below is unknown, but the squib is worth repeating:

A careless word may kindle strife,
A cruel word may wreck a life,
A bitter word may hate instill;
A brutal word may smite and kill,
A gracious word may smooth the way;

A joyous word may light the day,
A timely word may lessen stress;
A loving word may heal and bless!

ONE OF THE big mysteries of a married fellow's existence is exemplified in the dilemma suggested by a Hamlin man, who opines:

"Why does a woman wait up for her husband until 3:00 o'clock in the morning and ask him where he has been and what he has been doing, when she is determined from the outset not to believe a thing he says?"

IT MUST have been a gruesome act of beautifying for the Hamlin fellow who went into the Rotan barber shop the other day. This conversation was reported to have taken place:

Barber—"Was your tie red when you came in?"
Hamlin Man in Chair—"No."
Barber—"Gosh!"

WE PRINTED this bit of philosophy about five years ago in this column, so maybe a few of our readers now had not seen it.

Some fellows can get away with anything. There's one in our neighborhood that does.

Morals don't mean a thing to him. He doesn't care what the neighbors say or think. He has no regard for truth or law. The duties of the so-called good citizen are just so much bunk as far as he's concerned. He doesn't vote at either the primaries or the general election. He never thinks of paying a bill.

We have seen him take a \$2 taxi ride without giving the driver so much as a pleasant look. The driver only stared at him and muttered something silly. He won't work a lick; he won't go to church. He neglects his appearance terribly. He's so indolent he'd let the house burn down before he'd turn in an alarm. The telephone can ring itself to pieces and he won't bother to answer it. But we'll say this for him—in spite of all his faults, he comes of a good family. He's our new baby!

THE EXPRESSION "middle age" is probably the most definite expression in the English language.

To the very young man of 19 or 20, a man 35 is middle-aged. When he gets about 25, the middle-aged man is about 40. Then, when he gets to 40, middle-age is advanced to 55 or 60. When he gets 50, he doesn't use the expression any more.

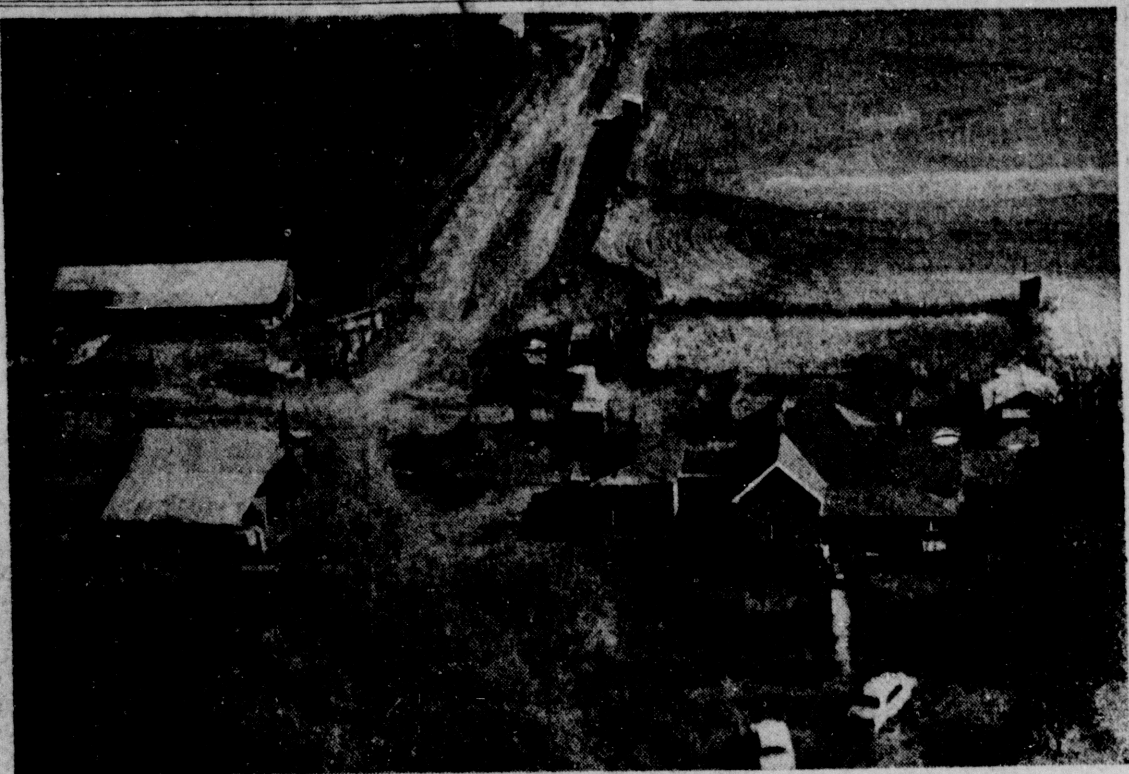
And for the ladies, God bless 'em, there is no problem. They stay 40 until they turn 70.

A VERY MILITARY major at an overseas post was discussing the program with a troupe of show girls sent out to entertain the men.

"And," said the major, "at 1700 hours, if you like, you girls can mess with the enlisted men."
"Sure," answered a blonde, "but we'll have to get something to eat first."

HOUSING IS UNIMPORTANT
"Hey, what time is it by your watch?"

"Quarter to."
"Quarter to what?"
"I don't know—things got so bad that I had to lay off one of the hands."



ANOTHER IN THE SERIES of Mystery Farm Pictures being run by The Herald is shown above. First person, other than the owner and his family, to correctly identify the view will be given a one-year subscription to Your Home Town Paper. In order to give readers of the paper living on the rural routes an equal chance at the identifying, no answers will be accepted before 1:00 p. m. Friday, either in person or telephoning to the paper office. The original aerial picture will be presented to the owner by The Herald.

Mass Meeting Next Friday to Talk Future of Civic Program

Future Campaign Work Dependent On United Action

Community-wide mass meeting of citizens interested in the promotional and civic activities for the Hamlin territory has been called for next Friday evening, May 13, by President Delma Shelburne of the Hamlin Chamber of Commerce.

The session has been called for 8:00 o'clock at the Primary School auditorium. Shelburne will preside. The meeting will be open for discussions by all attendees, with community projects and the future of the Chamber of Commerce being the central topic.

Directors of the CC point out that the organization is expected to carry on numerous civic and community projects all the time, furnishing a manager who will do everything from answer correspondence about the city's and community's facilities, to running errands on promotions, campaigns, drives, etc., yet only a little more than half of the business concerns and professional men are supporting the organization financially.

"Hamlin now is in a favored position for continued growth and expansion," Shelburne declares, "and is economically one of the strongest little cities in all Central West Texas, but united effort

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Two Hamlin School Bands Rated as Fair In Regional Competition at Abilene

Two bands from Hamlin last week-end were rated fair in the regional interscholastic league band and orchestra competition festival at Abilene.

Participating in the appearances were the 40-piece Hamlin High School Band and the 38-piece Junior High School Band, both

Scouters of Territory Attend Annual Meet For Northern District

Several Hamlin Scouters and their wives were due to attend the annual Northern District meeting of the Chisholm Trail Council of Boy Scouts yesterday (Thursday) afternoon at the Stamford Country Club.

Beginning at 7:00 o'clock, the dinner was to precede an important business meeting of the district committee, commissioners and leaders, according to Rae Eastland, district chairman.

Speaker at the annual business session was to be Nib Shaw of Abilene, council president. Veteran awards were to be made. District officers for the new year were to be elected, and separate meetings of the six operating committees and commissioners were on the evening's agenda.



EVANGELIST in the eight-day revival services beginning Sunday at the Calvary Baptist Church, located on South Central Avenue, will be Dr. W. J. Dorman (above), dean of Jacksonville Baptist College. Leading the singing will be Carl Campbell of Goree. Pastor W. C. Rea and his congregation invite the public to attend the services.

Otis Perry Preaches at North Central Church

Rev. Otis Perry, ministerial student at Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene, filled the pulpit at both services of the North Central Avenue Baptist Church Sunday in the absence of the pastor, Rev. Woodrow McHugh.

Rev. McHugh was confined to the hospital for several days with a throat ailment, but was released Tuesday.

Second of Polio Vaccine Shots to Be Given Friday

Second vaccination shots in the Salk polio vaccine for children of the first and second grades in the schools of Hamlin were scheduled to be administered today (Friday) according to Superintendent I. R. Huchingson.

A doctor of the staff at Hamlin Memorial Hospital was due to assist Mrs. Bobby Crowley, the school health nurse, in administering the vaccine. Women from the Parent-Teacher Association also were to cooperate in the immunization.

About 230 children of the Hamlin Primary School and DePriest Colored School received the first in the series of three shots in the polio immunization program administered on May 22. The third and final shot in the series is due to be given seven months from now under the direction of the family physician of the children, and the third shot will be paid for by the families, Huchingson pointed out. The first two vaccinations are being handled without charge to the students.

Littlefield Man Will Open Hamlin Studio

Opening of a photo studio and camera shop in the Wilson building, just south of White Auto Store, next Monday has been announced this week by Larry Marsh, who comes from Littlefield.

Marsh has been manager of a studio in Littlefield for five years, and has been a photographer for 15 years.

Merkel C. of C. Position Assumed By Onis Crawford

Onis Crawford assumed his new position as secretary-manager of the Merkel Chamber of Commerce Monday morning. He had resigned a similar position with the Hamlin CC two weeks ago, after serving in that capacity since June, 1954.

Crawford's new position at Merkel was tendered him several weeks ago at a nice increase in salary and expense money. Merkel has recently reorganized its civic organization and adopted a budget of \$11,000 per year, according to officials from the West Taylor County town. The community is on a boom as a result of activity created by the Abilene Air Force Base and oil operations in the Merkel region.

Crawford, a native of Hamlin, moved as a lad with his family to Stamford, but returned here in 1941, where he was engaged in several businesses. He has been prominent in civic and church affairs, and has been a member of the Hamlin school board of trustees for several years.

He and Mrs. Crawford have three children—Jimmy, nine; Robert, six; and Mignon, three.

Construction on Two Buildings Underway

Construction was underway this week on two new business houses for Hamlin, and completion dates have been set within 60 days.

Tom Eague is erecting a new building to house the Hamlin Funeral Home on Southwest Avenue A, facing west, in front of the Mrs. J. J. Crawford residence.

Fred and Eddie Jay are constructing a 60x80-foot store building for the Piggly Wiggly store just south of Jay Implement Company.

D. H. Sanders Buys Gardner's Tire Store

Assuming ownership of the former Gardner's Tire & Auto Supply in Hamlin Monday was D. H. Sanders, who has been connected with an oil company in the area for several months. He purchased the interest of C. H. (Chili) Gardner, who is moving to San Benito, in the Rio Grande Valley.

Sanders is restocking the concern with auto supplies and accessories. He will continue to feature United States Rubber Company's tires and tubes.

Gardner will be connected with an uncle in the automobile and insurance business at San Benito.



SAM HOUSTON BUST PRESENTED—Governor Allan Shivers (right) shakes hands with Philip Jon Evett, young British sculptor, after he accepted the Sam Houston bust for the state of Texas from Evett in Austin. Second from right is Dr. Lorena Friend, author of the book about Sam Houston which stimulated Evett's interest in the man and made him want to do the bust of Sam Houston. Dr. Friend presented the book to Shivers also.

Work to Start Next Week On Swimming Pool in City



IT'S JUST IMAGINATION!—The needle for the Salk polio vaccine may look big to some children, but this was just a gag arranged by Tommie Ellis. Jeff Smith, seven, was the first Pampa school student to be vaccinated against polio. A second grader, he was the first of 44 students to receive shots at Carver School.

Bath Houses, Walks and Fences Not in Contract

Contract for construction of the Hamlin community swimming pool, movement for which has been underway for several weeks, was signed Saturday afternoon according to Delma Shelburne, president of Hamlin Foundation, Inc., sponsoring organization.

The contract, embracing the building of a regulation 30x50x80-foot pool, complete with water filtration plant, went to Velvin Construction Company of Midland on a bid of \$15,115 for the turn-key job. The contract does not include bath houses, fences, sidewalks and other appurtenances that will be needed before the pool can be successfully operated, foundation officials point out.

Actual construction on the pool is expected to get underway the first part of next week, a representative of the contracting firm told Roy Dunlap, city engineer, who has prepared plans and specifications for the pool and will supervise the construction. With no hitch in locating materials, the representative said the pool could be completed by June 1.

However, in this connection foundation officials declare they have so far been unable to find enough cement, approximately 900 sacks, to do the job. A shortage in cement in this area has developed recently because of several huge government jobs that are taking vast amounts of the product.

The pool will be constructed under a new type liquid method of applying the cement to the steel framework without forms. Under this process, the coarse sand and cement mixture is blown onto steel framework to form walls reportedly stronger than conventionally poured concrete mixtures. Final coats contain the paint, and repainting is never necessary, the contractor declares.

Pledges of funds made to the swimming pool have been coming in pretty well, says Jack Russell, drive fund chairman, who urges those who have not made their payments to do so at once so that funds will be available for the bath houses and other work on the pool site.

Work on Highway 83 Resumed This Week

Work on the widening, straightening and leveling project on the Hamlin-to-Anson stretch of Highway 83 was due to be resumed Wednesday or Thursday of this week, according to Texas Highway Department officials.

The work, being done on contract by Collins Construction Company of Austin, was halted temporarily several days ago when a bottleneck in delivery of materials was hit.

VISIT FROM BOWIE.

Mrs. Jack Hensley and two children of Bowie have been visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lain. Mrs. Hensley is a niece of Lain.

High School Carnival Being Conducted This Evening at Gym and Cafeteria

Highlight of the high school carnival this evening will be the crowning of the Carnival Queen in the auditorium at 9:00 o'clock.

The carnival, being sponsored by the Student Council of Hamlin High School, will open this (Friday) evening at 6:30 in the high school gymnasium and cafeteria, with fun and thrills for all ages. There will be booths sponsored by each of the classes and organizations in the school, such as bingo, ducking pond, dart throwing and fishing. Admission is 25 cents for adults and 10 cents for students.

A princess and an escort and two duchesses have been elected from each class to participate in the queen coronation ceremonies.

They are: Norma Garrett and Bobby Norton, Martha Hubbard and Charlene Smith, seniors; June Hill and Rodney Spaulding, Lusara

Dean and Milbra Carlton, juniors; Elizabeth Norton and Dee Prewitt, Charlotte Wallace and Charlotte Carson, sophomores; Bette Teague and Bill Murff, Eva Wallace and Beverly Rogers, freshmen.

As attendants pay admission at the door, they will vote for the queen from the princess candidates. The girls receiving the most votes will be crowned Carnival Queen.

James Boyd, president of the Student Council, will be master of ceremonies. Crown-bearer will be Mike Smith, and the flower girl will be Sally Carlton. Heralds of the court will be Gene Steele and John Mack Harwell.

Peggy Briscoe, Reba Roland and Annette Smith are in charge of the coronation ceremonies, and are being assisted by Mrs. C. Weldon Griggs.

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MOTHER'S DAY IS NOT A DAY OF GAY PARADES

Next Sunday the world will pause briefly from its many diverse thoughts and actions to pay tribute to that angelical figure of the home—mother.

All mothers will be honored: the young ones, proudly caressing their first-born; the middle-aged ones who have guided their children and loving care to adulthood; and the saintly, silver-haired ones who proudly wear the crown of grandmotherhood. Appropriate tribute will be aptly paid to mothers by newspapers and magazines. She will be eulogized by the press and from the pulpit. Yet all the beautiful encomium will be inadequate to describe our deep and genuine appreciation of our mothers.

Mother's Day is set aside to express our love, admiration and respect to our first and dearest friend. We don't decorate the house or march behind a band or hold a gay party as we do on some special days. Instead, we dedicate our attention and thoughts to our mothers, and try to visualize what she means to us now and what she has always meant to us.

Famous men throughout the world have immortalized their mothers. Abraham Lincoln wrote, "All that I am or ever hope to be I owe to my angel mother." George Washington said: "I attribute all my success in life to the moral, intellectual and physical education which I received from my mother."

The View One Takes

A certain business corporation called a meeting of its salesmen. The sales manager had prepared a large white sheet and tacked it up on the wall.

When all the men had gathered, the sales manager went over to the white sheet and made a little black dot with a crayon, as near the center of the sheet as he could. Then he said: "You are a bunch of smart men; what do you see?"

"A little black dot," one man answered. "What do the rest of you see?" asked the manager.

"A little black dot," they answered.

"That's just the trouble," exclaimed the sales manager. "You all see the little black dot, but none of you sees the big sheet of white. Well, that little black dot represents the orders you have taken. The big sheet of white represents our prospects. Now you fellows step out and hustle!"

The Free Zoo Parade

You don't need a television set to see the zoo parade. All you have to do is get on the highway any day, any time—and you will pass them—or the chances are they will pass you. Here are some of them in their cages:

The chimpanzee . . . This is the character who hangs on to the roof of the car with his left hand while he drives with the right.

The Ostrich . . . This is the weird personality who believes that if he ducks his head behind the wheel and pays no attention to anything, nothing can harm him.

The Roadhog . . . This animal has been around for a long time, and is one of the most prevalent and unpopular in the zoo.

The Jack Rabbit . . . This is the scot-back type who zigs and zags through traffic like a frightened bunny.

The Jackass . . . This type is as versatile as he is common. He can be the show-off who risks his own neck and everybody else's by speeding and weaving. Or he may turn up as the plain, stupid oaf who doesn't savvy that modern driving requires a little thought.

The Elephant . . . This is the big stalwart, unpassable type who plants himself in the middle of the road and slowly plods along.

There are other animals in our zoo, of course, but the one animal no one tries to emulate is the horse. This would require horse sense, and that is a very rare traffic achievement these days.

Rembrandt said: "A kiss from my mother made me a painter." Benita Juarez said: "The starlight of love in my mother's eye was my constant guide." Thomas A. Edison: "My mother was the making of me. She was so true, so sure of me, and I felt I had someone to live for—someone I must not disappoint."

General John J. Pershing: "My mother's prayers have followed me." Defoe uttered: "The sweetest name in any language is mother." Joaquin Miller wrote: "The bravest battle that ever was fought—shall I tell you where and when? On the maps of the world you will find it not; 'twas fought by the mothers of men." E. P. Brown declared: "What God will do for us under all circumstances is the very same that a good mother would do if she had the power and wisdom to do it at all times." George Herbert said: "One good mother is worth a hundred schoolmasters in the home. She is a lodestone to all hearts and a lodestar to all eyes."

Mother's love is our highest form of earthly affection. There is a penetrating tenderness of a mother to a son that surpasses all affection of the heart. It cannot be daunted by disloyalty, weakened by ingratitude, nor chilled by selfishness. A mother will sacrifice her own comfort and surrender her own pleasure for the convenience of her child.

Why the Men Are Big

When Paderewski was premier of Poland, he was in his study one midnight deeply interested in state papers. An assailant suddenly appeared at his elbow. The man held a weapon in one hand, and in the other a paper which he was demanding that Paderewski sign, abdicating his premiership.

Madame Paderewski was asleep in an adjoining room. The confusion awakened her, and as she entered the study the revolver dropped from the assailant's hand. Her husband was throttling the man.

The guards were called, and Paderewski had them take the man out and set him free. "Since that night," said the artist-statesman some years later, "that man was my friend."

Andrew Carnegie perfected the Bessemer steel process, and out of this new way of making steel he amassed a fortune. But more than once his business was sorely beset by strikes. At one time a strike leader became afflicted with a serious illness. He was informed by a medical source that he could go to a health resort for full recovery. He protested that he did not have the means, but was informed that there would be no cost.

The man accepted the offer, regained his health after many months, and finally learned that the "unknown benefactor" was the very man whom he had fiercely denounced in a strike.

Editorial of the Week

LOBBYISTS' DINNERS SPURNED

Who says there is nothing new under the sun? Up in Hennepin County (Minneapolis) Minnesota, the county's delegation to the Minnesota Legislature has spurned winning and dining by lobbyists.

Members of the delegation have instructed lobbyists to save expense account money they ordinarily spend for steak dinners and hotel parties for legislators. Instead, the delegation will hold a two-day hearing at which all lobbyists will be invited to state the case for the interests they represent and told then to leave the legislators alone after the Legislature convenes.

Is this the dawn of the millennium? Will the Minneapolis legislators set a new fashion in state capital politico-social goings-on? It would be fine to think that it might be so, but it would not be wise to hold one's breath until the custom spreads everywhere.—The Houston Post.

RECALLING Other Years

★ Being news items taken from old files of Home Town Newspaper The Herald

TWENTY YEARS AGO.

From the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated April 26, 1935, the following items of news are reprinted:

Five Hamlin boys were among the 21 Jones County lads scheduled to report to the Civilian Conservation Corps camp at Sweetwater Monday. They are: George McDaniel, Charles Favors, Harris Polk, Leo Mixon and Walter Abbott.

J. B. Terrell's Red & White Grocery featured these prices in an advertisement: Strawberries, 10 cents per pint; Maxwell House coffee, three-pound can, 83 cents; potatoes, 10 pounds 20 cents.

Total deposits at the Farmers & Merchants National Bank at the close of business March 4, 1935, were \$465,802.98.

Honor roll for the fifth six-week period at Hamlin High School contains the following names: Lydia Garrett and Oletha King, freshmen; Ray Humphrey, Dorothy Morgan and J. B. Terrell Jr., sophomores; Avelene Murphree, Melva Ramsey, Betty Murl Routh and Willie Walker, juniors; Marvin York, Ethel Allen, Le-one Bowman, Rowena Davis and Sarah Ellen Nicholson, seniors.

New Ford V-8 cars were advertised at \$495 and up, fob Detroit. Bryant-Link Company advertised Easter suits, linen and silk dresses at \$3.95 and up.

TEN YEARS AGO.

The following items of interest in the community 10 years ago are reprinted from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated April 20, 1945:

The nation was mourning the passing of Franklin D. Roosevelt, president of the United States, who died the past week.

Nineteen-year-old Charles Nathan Hale, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Hale of Hamlin, died in the battle for Iwo Jima March 19, according to official word from the War Department received by relatives this week.

Mrs. J. T. Grogan and children, James Carol and Sandra Kay, returned this week to their home at Fort Worth after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Meeks.

Mrs. Lester Morton has been advised by an Associated Press release that her husband, Lieutenant Lester Morton, flying a Mitchell bomber, has been credited with the sinking of a Japanese war ship.

Special water rates are being made to encourage lawns and gardens. After the \$2 minimum charge, water will be sold at 10 per 1,000 gallons, city officials state.

FIVE YEARS AGO.

News items of interest in the Hamlin community five years ago included the following, taken from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated April 21, 1950:

More than an inch of rain has fallen in the Hamlin territory during the past two days, to give crops a rosy looking future.

Scholastics recorded in the Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District total 1,232, according to school officials.

Grain prospects in the Hamlin territory have improved considerably with recent rains, according to growers and buyers of wheat.

Catches of 22 inches in Hamlin South Lake are reported from the rains of the past several days. The water problem for the city, which had become critical within the past 90 days, was alleviated to some extent, say city officials.

Hamlin's Pied Piper baseball team, which has been showing up well this season, whitewashed the Anson crew under a 9 to 0 score Tuesday afternoon.

ONE YEAR AGO.

Among news items of interest in the Hamlin community a year ago were the following, reprinted from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated April 23, 1954:

Mrs. E. M. Wilson, Hamlin business woman and former secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, has been named county chairman of the Jones County Tuberculosis Association at the annual business session held Monday at Anson.

W. T. Johnson, Hamlin bank official, has been elected president of the Hamlin Lions Club. He will succeed Dry Goods Merchant C. C. Bailey on July 1.

Hamlin Elementary School Band was rated in the first division in regional contests conducted Saturday at Hamlin. The chorus, under direction of Mrs. Vera Jayroe, was rated in the second division.

A new water line from the big Stamford-to-Hamlin main is being planned from south of the Highway 92 line into the Hamlin East Cemetery, according to cemetery association officials.

Mexico Cattle Raisers Buying Breeding Stock Now in U. S. to Replace Lost Herds

The cow country of the United States usually exports large numbers of tourists, a few registered cattle and an occasional lady bull fighter to Mexico, but by and large, what cattle trade we have with Old Mexico is buying cattle from there, declares Ted Goudly, special market reporter for The Herald, in this week's release to Your Home Town Paper. His release continues:

We learned from the Foreign Agricultural Service of the U. S. Department of Agriculture this week that at their mid-March meeting the Sonoran Cattle Raisers Association proposed to import at least 100,000 heifers and cows from the United States!

These cattle would replace the estimated 300,000 herd lost in Sonora due to the drought in recent years.

Early summer movement of cattle and calves was again evident at Fort Worth Monday. Some 3,000 more were offered than a year ago at the same time. Trade developed slowly as packers endeavored to lower costs. Fed cattle were steady to 25 cents higher, cows weak to 50 cents lower. Bulls sold steady.

Stockers and feeders with quality moved readily at fully steady prices, as did choice fat calves. However, grassy calves and yearlings of both slaughter and stocker kinds of medium and lower grades eased lower by around 50 cents or more per 100. Plain stockers sell at about their slaughter values. The spread between heifer calves and yearlings of the stocker kind is the widest in months, mostly \$3 to \$4, for stocker heifers under similar steers unless fleshy enough to sell for slaughter.

Good and choice fed steers and yearlings sold at \$19 to \$22.75, the latter figure for load of steers fed by J. W. Miller of Swisher County that averaged about 1,150 pounds. These were mates to cattle at \$2250 a week earlier. Plain and medium yearlings and heifers hit \$12 to \$18. Fat cows were \$10.50 to \$13.50; canners and cutters \$7 to \$11. Bulls brought \$10 to \$14.25, fat calves \$14 to \$21.50, stocker calves \$23 down, stocker steer yearlings \$22 down and stocker steers \$21.50 down.

Both livestock and buyers at Fort Worth this week agreed that it would stabilize prices if more sheep and cattle were marketed on Wednesday and Thursday, and the big runs of Monday and Tuesday were held down in the months ahead.

It was pointed out that in recent months Wednesday and Thursday prices have usually been as good as Monday and Tuesday, and in some cases ever higher. Last week shorn lambs topped at \$17 Monday and Tuesday, and on the Wednesday, Thursday and Friday sessions topped at \$17.50 for example.

Packers say they are at a disadvantage if they have to buy huge numbers on Monday and Tuesday and carry them to the end of the week to get them killed. Spreading this summer's runs more evenly through the week will serve to level out price trends and avoid bad price breaks, all agree.

Hogs opened 25 cents lower at Fort Worth Monday. Pressure generated from the big run reported in the Corn Belt—22,000 more hogs appeared at 12 major markets than a week ago. The

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crop was more than double that for the same day last year! Top hogs drew \$17 to \$17.25 at Fort Worth, and sows sold from \$11 to \$14.50, some big weights of over 500 pounds, at the low end of the quotations.

Loyce Hargrove Takes Leave to Tokyo, Japan

Private First Class Loyce D. Hargrove, 21, whose wife Dorothy, is employed in the city hall at Hamlin, recently spent a week's leave at Tokyo, Japan, from his unit in Korea.

Hargrove, son of Walker Clinton Hargrove of 653 West Lake Drive, is regularly stationed in Korea with the 504th Quartermaster Service Company as a supply specialist.

A 1952 graduate of Hamlin High School, he entered the Army in April, 1954, and arrived overseas last November.

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Residents of Area Invited to Opening of Stamford Plant

All residents within 100 miles of Stamford have been invited to participate in a giant open house Saturday, May 7, for the town's newest and largest manufacturing plant, Feldt Manufacturing Company.

Mayors and residents within the 100-mile area have been invited by Stamford officials. A free gift will be presented to every visitor by the Feldt plant. All merchants in Stamford are participating in the big open house, which actually is a community reception for Feldt and Stamford.

The one-day open house also will mark the beginning of the largest celebration of National Cotton Week in Stamford. National Cotton Week is May 9 through May 14. Stamford will begin its National Cotton Week celebration with the Feldt open house.

Betty McDermott, fashion editor of The Abilene Reporter-News, will coordinate style shows featuring western style cotton clothes. Ray Grisham of Abilene, president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, will cut the ribbon. Governor Allan Shivers and state senators have been invited to participate.

The day's activities begin with a band concert by the Stamford High School Band at 10:15 a. m. followed by a style show of western wear at 10:45 a. m.

Dedication ceremonies will follow, including a ribbon cutting, officially opening the plant.

Out-of-Town Quartets To Be at Dovie Singing

Three quartets from Haskell and Knox City are scheduled to be among attendants at the regular first Friday night singing this (Friday) evening at Dovie community church, five miles east of Hamlin, according to leaders of the community.

Singing will get underway at 8:00 o'clock, and the general public is invited. Refreshments will be served at the conclusion of the singing.

Officers of the Dovie community singing organization are: O. L. Cohorn, president; Benson Payne, vice president; and Gladys Nelson, secretary.

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NOMINATED—The White House has announced from Washington, D. C., that John R. Brown, Houston lawyer, will be nominated by President Eisenhower as U. S. Circuit Judge for the Fifth District. Brown is a Republican and was born in Nebraska. The Fifth Circuit includes Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Louisiana, Mississippi, Texas and the Canal Zone.

Early Campaigns Against Cotton Insects Are Urged

Hamlin area cotton raisers are being urged by extension specialists to get the jump on costly cotton insects by starting insect control measures early.

"Cotton starts off faster, fruit earlier and yields higher when early season insect control practices are followed," Dr. F. M. Fuller, extension entomologist, says.

Initial dust or spray treatments should be made when cotton reaches the two to four-leaf stage or earlier if necessary. Two to four applications of insecticides usually will control the season's first offenders—thrips, red spiders, aphids, flea hoppers and overwintered boll weevils.

Unless flea hopper and boll weevil infestations remain injurious, the early season phase of insect control should be curtailed about 30 days before the bollworm normally appears. This allows time for a build-up of beneficial insects which also help control bollworms.

Sprays are more effective and economical than dusts on young cotton, Fuller says.

More information on early season control is given in the 1955 Guide for Controlling Cotton Insects in Texas. This guide lists each recommended insecticide and its rate of application. The bulletin, L-218, also contains a detailed program for late season control of cotton insects. Available from local county agents, this bulletin is free for the asking.

Lions Club Hears Reports on District Meeting at Abilene

Reports on the annual District 2-E convention of Lions International, held Sunday and Monday at Abilene, highlighted the program at the Tuesday noon luncheon of the Hamlin Lions Club at the oil mill guest house. Six members of the local club, some accompanied by their wives, were present for at least part of the sessions.

President W. T. Johnson, I. R. Huchingson, Jim H. King, Haskell Carter and L. H. McBride gave reports on various phases of the two-day convention program.

Leading speaker for the convention was S. A. Dodge, former president of Lions International. W. R. McDonald of Fort Worth, who was defeated two years in his bid for district governor by Huchingson, was named governor at the Abilene business session. Mineral Wells was selected as site of the next convention. Joe Childers, Charlie Williams and Guy Crawford were named the district's representatives on the board of the Texas Lions Club's Crippled Children's Home at Kerrville.

President-Elect W. S. Seals of the local club, who also attended the Abilene convention, was unable to be at the Tuesday meeting because of illness.

Means of raising the Lions Club's pledge to the community swimming pool will be suggested at next week's luncheon by a committee named by Johnson.

Guests at the weekly luncheon Tuesday were Bill Tidwell of Rotan, J. B. Taylor of Clyde, Joe Breed of Anson and George Batchelor of Hamlin.

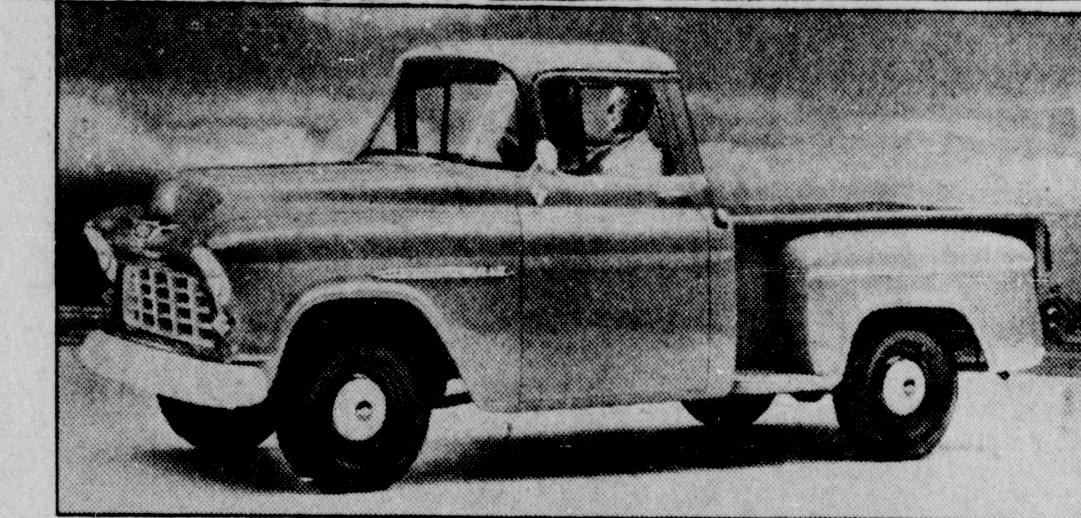
Will Rogers Jr. Invited To Cowboy Reunion At Stamford in July

Will Rogers Jr. of Beverly Hills, California, has been invited to be guest of honor at the twenty-fifth Texas Cowboy Reunion, July 1, 2 and 4.

"We are going to honor the memory of the most beloved man that America has ever known—your father," stated the letter of invitations from President W. G. Swenson. "We can think of nothing that would add more to the Cowboy Reunion than your presence would, as the son of the man whose memory we will honor, and as an outstanding figure in the fields of public service, newspapers and motion pictures yourself."

Young Rogers is noted as a newspaper publisher, served in Congress and starred in a film portraying the life of his father, whom he greatly resembles in features, manner and way of speaking.

Will Rogers attended the Texas Cowboy Reunion in 1935.



CHEVROLET'S EVER-POPULAR LIGHT PICKUP TRUCKS promise to win even greater favor this year. A long list of improvements that range from added driver convenience to beauty of design has been incorporated in the 1955 line, being shown this week at Carl Murrell Chevrolet Company in Hamlin. Two pickups are offered in the light duty series, one featuring a 78-inch length box, the other a 90-inch length. Pickups are among 75 models on 15 wheel-bases, Murrell announces.

Roger Babson Declares Eating of Seeds May Be Secret of Longevity for Man

This story may be valueless; or it may be important, begins Roger W. Babson, regular contributor to the columns of The Herald, in his weekly release on "How to Live."

Long and Be Beautiful." His discussion for the week continues: This will not cause anyone to eat less canned or frozen fruit and vegetables, but it may develop a new industry in this country that will some day flourish.

There is in the village of Babson Park, Florida, where I have spent the winter, the Florida Research and Water Company. It owns the local water company and is interested in the study of live seeds small enough to eat alive. It also believes in "raw" water and "raw" milk—that is, pure spring water which has not had the living matter killed by chlorine, and pure milk which has not been pasteurized. It recommends the eating of more "whole cereals," more "raw" vegetables, and "raw" fruits, especially those consisting largely of live seeds, like okra—but they should be ripe seeds; also live "sprouts and buds." It believes in juicing machines, but not for live seeds.

Let me illustrate: It is impossible to eat a peach seed, and probably unwise to swallow live orange, acerola or apple seeds, unless they are ground; but ripe tomatoes, strawberries, blackberries, blueberries, bananas, figs and pomegranates should be eaten, seeds and all, uncooked. Of course, all raw fruit and vegetables should be carefully washed. The acerola berry of Puerto Rico is reported to have 50 times the vitamin C per gram contained in an orange. The second paragraph on page 59 of the Reader's Digest for January, 1955, is thought provoking.

only uncooked raw, fertile eggs containing life. He also recommended the uncooked coral of lobsters and the live roe of fish.

All beautiful birds live only on live seeds, live worms and live spring water. Their food must be alive. The only birds which will eat dead meat are the horrible crows and buzzards; dangerous insects and bacteria will also eat dead things. The same principle applies to animals of the forest. Certain moldy cheeses and yeasts contain life. Live seeds in 15-cent envelopes can be purchased at any hardware store.

Those who have seen any fish (from mackerel to sharks) pulled alive out of the ocean have been impressed by their natural beauty and proportions. When analyzing the diet of these fish, we learn that the smallest fish live on minute animal and plant life known as plankton and algae; that the larger fish live on the smaller live fish; and so on up to the whale. But, all insist their food be alive.

I am not vouching for any theory of life, but it does seem as if the above evidence should be considered when selecting our diet. Once, no doctor had recommended B-12 pills or brewer's yeast; but today they recommend them. Perhaps we will live to see doctors recommend the addition of non-fattening live seeds or phosphates to our diets.

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Estimated 35 from County Entered Service in Quarter

An estimated 35 Jones County young men entered the armed forces during the first quarter of 1955. This was a decline from an estimated 45 for the same period a year ago.

A total of 13,123 Texans entered the armed forces during the first quarter of 1955, a total of 17,819 getting out during the same period.

Of the 13,123 who got into the various uniformed services, 10,661 entered by enlistment. The remaining 2,462 were drafted through the state's 137 draft boards.

These figures were obtained from reports of Brigadier General Paul L. Wakefield, state director of selective service, to national selective service headquarters in Washington.

State draft boards sent only 2,733 men for physical-mental examinations during the three-month period. Army examining and induction stations rejected a total of 1,097 of these men, a rejection rate of 40 per cent.

During the first three months of 1955 a total of 31 doctors and dentists registered with draft boards under the doctors' draft law.

Selective service records at the end of March indicated about 142,000 Texans in the uniformed services at that time, compared to approximately 152,000 at the same time in 1954.

While 13,123 Texans were entering the armed forces during January, February and March, a total of 15,643 Texans were registered with Texas draft boards.

MASS MEETING

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of our citizens and businesses is imperative if we forge ahead and take advantage of our opportunities. We cannot secure new enterprises, new industries, properly service our community and provide information about our town without a central organization to handle these affairs. The Chamber of Commerce is the logical organization to handle these functions."

At present the Chamber of Commerce is without a manager-secretary since the leaving last week-end of Onis Crawford for lack of funds to pay him. He went to Merkel at a considerable increase in salary and expense money.

A called mass meeting last Thursday morning at the Ferguson Theater failed to muster sufficient attendance of citizens to do much good on the CC question, Shelburne said. Next Friday evening's session, it is hoped, will find greater response, CC officials declare.

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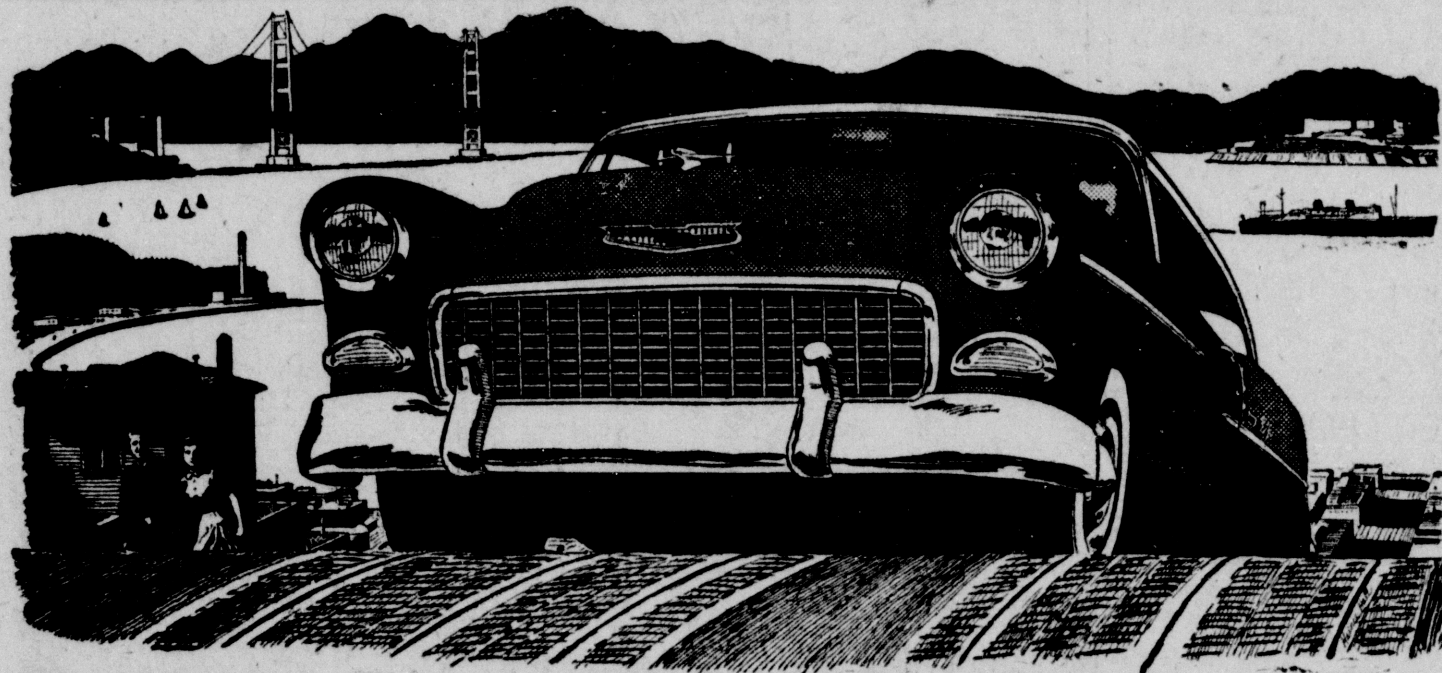
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MASS MEETING

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Friday, May 13 - 8 P. M.



The Herald's Page for Women



Home Demonstration Clubs of County This Week Celebrating National Week

Members of the 15 Home Demonstration Clubs of Jones County are this week joining thousands of other women over the nation who are observing the tenth annual National Home Demonstration Week, according to Jimmie Lou Wainscott, home demonstration agent.

Purposes of National Home Demonstration Week are to acquaint more families—especially young families—with this educational program in homemaking; to encourage families in improving the communities in which they live; and to recognize volunteer local leaders if home demonstration groups.

Home demonstration work is that part of the agricultural extension program concerned with home and family. The newest research information in all phases

of homemaking is brought to homemakers through specialists, demonstration agents and local leaders. Programs and demonstrations in foods and nutrition, housing and home improvement, home management, health and safety, family life, clothing, consumer buying and public affairs are developed to fit local needs and interest.

During the week, more than 40,000 members of 1,985 Texas home Demonstration Clubs will highlight their activities in various ways. Special educational exhibits and programs, feature stories, radio and television programs, and tours of result demonstrations are planned to interpret the objectives of home demonstration work and show its contribution to family and community life.

In keeping with the theme, home demonstration agents and club members will stress the role of the home and the family in developing and maintaining those qualities valued in a democracy.

In Jones County the Home Demonstration Clubs are each celebrating National Home Demonstration Week in their own clubs and communities. Reports of these meetings will be made at a later date.

There are 15 organized Home Demonstration Clubs in Jones County, and during the week of May 16 one will be organized in the Dovie community. There are now 223 club members in these 15 Home Demonstration Clubs.

Methodist Women Plan Missionary Box

Plans were made for packing a box to be sent to a missionary family when members of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Faith Methodist Church met Monday morning at 9:15 o'clock for their regular weekly session.

Mrs. Gerald Renfro opened the services with a devotional, after which Mrs. Orion Lewis brought the final portion of the study book, "Women of the Bible."

During the business session, after plans for packing the box were made, final arrangements were discussed concerning the sponsoring of an all-church chicken fry to be held at the O. R. Criswell home Friday evening, May 6.

Second sheets at The Herald.

Bosses' Dinner Staged Tuesday Evening by Hamlin B&PW Club

Members of the Business and Professional Women's Club of Hamlin served their annual bosses' dinner Tuesday evening with 31 members present with their guests.

Mrs. S. C. Ferguson Jr. reviewed the book, "The Edge of Time" of Eula Grace Erdman of Canyon. The book is a novel about early day Texas homesteaders.

The retiring president, Jo Riddle, was presented a past president's gold pin with guard. Making the presentation was Ruby Poe.

Following the singing by the group of "The Eyes of Texas Are Upon You," led by Mrs. Earl Brown and accompanied by Mrs. Joe McCrary, L. R. Witt directed a pantomime, "Texas Star."

Senior girls of the month, who were guests at the Tuesday evening meeting, were Peggy Briscoe and Linda Wallace.

Guests present were R. H. McCurdy, Andy Anderson, T. R. Tegar, Mr. and Mrs. Tate May, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Russell, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Ferguson Jr., Mr. and Mrs. John C. Bryant, Odean Murphree, Mr. and Mrs. Donley Williams, Homer Raney, Donnie Sanderlin, W. C. Hargrove, George Malouf, Earl Brown, I. R. Witt, Junior Hought, Mrs. Clinton Barrow, Wesley Nail, Fay Dean, Ben Turner, and Weldon Hudson.

New Officers Installed by Gleaners Class of McCaulley Church

New officers for the ensuing quarter were installed when members of the Gleaners Sunday School Class of the McCaulley Baptist Church met Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Virgil Steele for a business meeting and social hour.

The following women were installed: Mrs. Hallie McFatter, president; Mrs. Annie Ruth Ferguson, vice president; Mrs. Levi McCollum, secretary - treasurer; Mrs. Grady Cook and Mrs. Frank Houghton, group captains.

After the business meeting and program, the hostess served refreshment plates to the following: Mmes. Noah Wishert, James Blanton, Nella Smith, Bill Kean, Beech Jones, Levi McCollum, Ernest Webb, Hallie McFatter, Grady Cook, Frank Houghton, Annie Ruth Ferguson, Ben Short, Miss Ruby Hennington and Mrs. Steele, the hostess.



Cotton feed bags in interesting floral print have been chosen for an afternoon fashion by Nell Perkovich, young housewife of Memphis, Tenn. The dress will be part of her entry in the third annual National Cotton Bag Sewing Contest at the Mid-South Fair, Mrs. Perkovich wears a tailored style in red, white and blue plaid, also made from cotton bags. Nationwide bag sewing contests will be staged at 32 state and regional fairs from June to November. Finals will be November 15 in Chicago.

Tacky Party Featured At Meeting of Naomi Sunday School Class

An old fashioned "tacky party" was the feature of the meeting of members of the Naomi Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church Friday evening in the home of Mrs. A. G. Miller. Co-hostesses were Mmes. Billie Goodman and A. C. Hall.

Mrs. Wallace Walton, teacher of the group, opened the session with prayer. Mrs. Ola Stoner, president, presided for a short business meeting.

Mrs. Joe A. Simpson brought the devotional on "The Value of a Child," using the scriptures, Genesis, Exodus, First Samuel, Second Chronicles, Psalms and Proverbs.

Mrs. Wallace Walton was awarded a prize, a dish cloth doll, for being adjudged the "tackiest" by Mmes. Martin Westbrook, Mack Perdue and Houston Walker, the judges.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the following guests and members: Mmes. Martin Westbrook, Houston Walker, Mack Perdue, C. A. Brooks, L. B. Cole and Frank Laffler, guests; and Mmes. Ruth Hallmark, Dena

Opportunities for Overseas Work Open Through Red Cross

Opportunities for immediate placement as recreation workers in the American Red Cross Overseas Club program are now open to qualified young women between the ages of 23 and 30, it was announced this week by Leslie This, director of personnel, Red Cross midwestern area office at St. Louis, Missouri, in a release to The Herald.

In all, a total of 80 young women are needed to provide leisure time programs for U. S. troops presently serving in remote areas in Korea, Europe and North Africa.

Women interested in receiving further information on these openings should write to the Director of Personnel Service, Midwestern Area Office, American National Red Cross, 4050 Lindell Boulevard, St. Louis 8, Missouri, or contact their nearest Red Cross chapter.

Branscum, Vera Baker, Lela Lain, Flora Carter, Leona Carter, Mamie Deel, Eva Eades, Vera Hart, Connie O'Neal, Winnie Abbott, and Jewel Mayfield.

Eight Hamlin 4-H Club Girls Take Part In Dress Review

Eight 4-H Club girls from Hamlin were among entrants in the annual Jones County 4-H Club girls' dress review staged Monday evening in the Anson High School auditorium. Thirty-one girls entered the review, according to Jimmie Lou Wainscott, county home demonstration agent and sponsor for the girls.

Each girl was given an entry prize furnished by the Anson Chamber of Commerce.

First place winner in the over 14 age group was Frankie Sullivan of Noodle. Frankie modeled a red nylon with a long torso and a full pleated skirt.

First place in the 12 to 14-year-old group was Judy Simmons of Anson. These girls will represent Jones County at the district dress review in August.

Beth Adkins gave her speech on "What 4-H Club Work Means to Me." Beth is District III public speaking first place winner and will compete in the state contest in June at College Station.

Also as part of the program Sandra Garrett of Lueders gave a demonstration on "Magic from Milk."

Those who entered the dress review were Judy Neville of Anson, Barbara Shuquist of Avoca, Pat Workman of Avoca, Marverine Shuquist of Avoca, Beth Christian of Hamlin, Brenda Jones of Anson, Wanda Jones of Anson, Patsy Wade of Anson, Lou Parkinson of Anson, Sandra Thorn of Anson, Martha Garrett of Lueders, Mary Smith of Hamlin, Sandra Smith of Hamlin, Linda Bingham and Joyce Bingham of Hamlin, Ann Johnson of Hamlin, Joyce Smith of Hamlin, Pat Green of Hamlin, Anna Cheryl Adams of Hamlin, Linda Jones of Anson, Betty Ruth Lain of Anson, Sandra Garrett of Lueders, Delores Hunter of Noodle, Judy Simmons of Anson, Pearl Sanders of Anson, Nancy Hunter of Noodle, Karan Irvin of Noodle, Frankie Sullivan of Noodle, and Clara Hill of Noodle.

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O. T. Higgins of Rotan is announcing the recent marriage of his daughter, Clarice Ann, to Billy Hugh Roy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bub Roy of Hamlin. The ceremony was performed in the faith Methodist Church parsonage at Hamlin, with Rev. Orion Lewis, pastor, officiating.

The bride was attired in a simply tailored white linen dress, a flattering white hat with baby blue accessories. She carried a white Bible topped with an exquisite green orchid a gift of the groom.

Only attendant to the bride was a cousin, Mrs. Kenneth Wheeler of Snyder. Mr. Roy's best man was his brother-in-law, J. B. May of Hamlin.

After the rites, the couple left on their honeymoon trip to Ruidoso, New Mexico, for several days. Since their return, Mr. and Mrs. Roy are residing at 607 Twenty-Ninth Street in Snyder. The bride is a 1954 graduate of Rotan High School. Upon graduation Mrs. Roy was employed by Southwestern Bell Telephone Company in Snyder, and is to continue her work there. The bridegroom is an employee of the Santa Fe Railway at Snyder.

Those attending the wedding

were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. May, Mr. and Mrs. Bub Roy, Carolyn Sue and Jimmy of Hamlin; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wheeler, Bobby Gandy, Sheila Phillips and Tincie Higgins, Dick Blakely and Joe Galyean of Snyder; and O. T. Higgins of Rotan.

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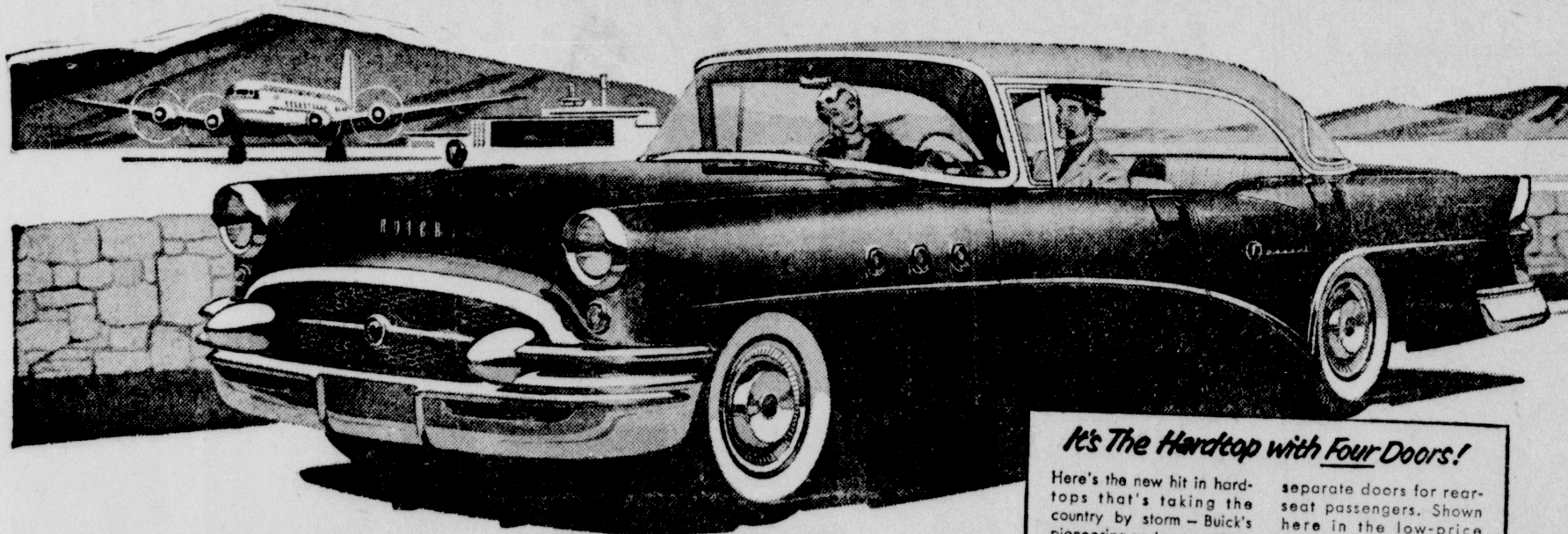
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State Capital NEWS

By Vern Sanford,
Manager, Texas Press Association

Austin.—Natural gas, trading stamps, cigars cigarettes, snuff, gasoline, uranium and beer license fees would be taxable under the bill to provide \$100,000,000 additional state revenue for the next two years.

Revealing sharp difference of opinion over the bill was the fact that it passed House engrossment by a close vote of 74 to 69.

Without surprise, the Legislature found it easier to spend money than to raise it. A few examples:

Liberalizing of the teachers' retirement system by constitutional amendment was voted by the House.

Governor Allan Shivers asked for emergency consideration by indemnity to owners of sheep and the Legislature of a bill to pay goats destroyed in an effort to halt a scabies epidemic.

Extension of the veterans' land program was approved by a Senate committee. (Theoretically, this program is self-financing. The state issues bonds to buy the land, and the bonds are retired as the veterans make payments on their property).

Requested by the governor was an appropriation to give underprivileged children the Salk polio vaccine.

Proposals were made by the Travis County delegation, that state sponsor a supplement to state employee retirement benefits in amount of \$600,000 per year.

Seventeen amendments were added in the House before the car dealers' licensing bill gained initial approval.

Principal provisions of the bill would:

Make new car dealers pay \$50 for a sellers' license, and used car dealers \$25; prohibit offering for sale as a new car any vehicle that had been driven or towed more than 50 miles; and require dealers to post \$10,000 bond.

Original purpose of the bill, before the amendments were added, was to prevent used car dealers from offering latest model cars for sale as "new" cars.

A big segment of the Texas population lives in the Trinity River valley.

Hopes of those people for an organization to administer flood control, water conservation and irrigation were dimmed when the Senate water committee rejected a Trinity River Authority bill and sent it to a sub-committee.

Representative Barefoot Sanders of Dallas, who pushed the bill through the House, blamed the railroad lobby for its failure in Senate committee. Said Sanders:

"The railroads, in the final analysis, are responsible for this set-back because of the propaganda they put out on the effects of this bill."

Trouble was ahead for a proposed constitutional amendment rated high on the list of administration recommended water legislation.

Purpose of the measure would be to let the people vote on whether to authorize \$100,000,000 in bonds to finance water projects of the state.

Passed by the House, the resolution was patched with amendments. The Senate refused to concur and asked for a conference committee.

Far from abating, the veterans' land investigation was expanding and reaching as far afield as Minnesota.

Cecil E. Burney, special assistant attorney general, told the Senate investigating committee that two years ago, when Attorney General John Ben Sheppard was vacationing in Minnesota, he happened to see former land commissioner Bascom Giles.

Giles invited Sheppard to visit his Minnesota farm of 8,600 acres. When the veterans' land investigations began, Sheppard sent an investigator to Minnesota.

As a result of that investigation, Burney predicted, the people will hear that money from the veterans' land program went to Minnesota to buy land for Texas.

"It is amazing," said Burney,

North Central Church Adult TU Group Meets

Devotional was presented by the pastor, Rev. Woodrow McHugh, when members of the adult Training Union group of North Central Avenue Baptist Church met Tuesday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. Madden for a business session and social gathering.

The session was opened with group singing, followed by prayer by Mrs. Harold Lee. Closing prayer was offered by Jack Talbot.

Mrs. Madden and Mrs. Mullings served refreshments of ice cream, cake, cold drinks and coffee to 12 members and eight visitors.

"that some of the same people who were anxious to buy cheap Minnesota land at high prices were the same persons who were anxious to sell cheap land in Texas to veterans for equally high prices."

Another witness before the Senate investigating committee was Alvis Vandygriff, a former officer of the veterans land board.

Vandygriff testified that during a four-year period after he left the board, he received more than \$30,000 to expedite block land deals.

A bill by Representative W. W. Allen of Laredo was approved in House committee, permitting counties of 50,000 population and over to use funds for local advertising.

Under the bill, county Commissioners Courts could appropriate five cents per \$100 assessed property evaluation for the purpose. Under existing laws, counties of 100,000 population and over already are permitted to advertise.

Short Snorts: On foot is a drive for strict enforcement of narcotic laws and passage of new state legislation to help control the dope traffic. Three narcotics bills have passed the House and are in the Senate. . . . Passed by the Senate is a bill establishing a Texas commission on higher education to govern Texas' nine senior colleges and universities. Senator A. M. Aiken told the Senate the commission is necessary to take care of expanded enrollment and curricular problems of the institutions. . . . Gas companies would be permitted to sue the state for taxes paid under the unconstitutional gas gathering tax, according to a resolution passed by the House and by the Senate with amendments. . . . Texas oil production for May will be reduced, according to an order of the Texas Railroad Commission. Allowables will be 3,072,150 barrels daily, lowest of the year. Texas has enjoyed a near record oil flow for the past four months.

Mothers of Bluebirds Honored with Tea at Hut Tuesday Evening

Leaders and members of the Twin Circle Bluebird group of Camp Fire Girls honored mothers with a lovely tea at the Camp Fire Girls hut in West Hamlin Tuesday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

A welcoming committee composed of Rose Lovell, Mary Fitzgerald, Kathleen Hallmark and Judy Fitzgerald greeted the guests on arrival. Those serving cookies and punch at the tea table were Ann Johnson, Tanya Lawson and Sue Perryman. The table was arranged with a pink cloth and ornamented with a pink net parasol trimmed with net ruffles and nosegays of rose pink snapdragons. The room was lighted by hurricane lamps made by the Bluebirds as gifts for their mothers.

Following the refreshments, an entertainment committee, composed of Lynn Ann Miller and Joyce Ann Smith, presented a talent show in which each Bluebird girl participated. There were piano selections, tap dances, vocal numbers, recitations and group singing and riddles.

Mrs. Ray Johnson gave a welcoming address to the mothers and expressed her pleasure derived from association with the girls as their leader the past year. She then presented Mrs. Weldon Johnson and Mrs. J. C. Hallmark as the Bluebird leaders for the coming year.

Mrs. Johnson has been assisted the past year by Mrs. J. D. Adams, Mrs. J. H. Fitzgerald and Mrs. C. L. Howard.

The meeting was closed with prayer, and "goodbyes" were said at the door by Sue Johnson, Teresa Josey and Cynthia Howard. Guests present were Mrs. B. Hasen, Mrs. Joe Stevens, Mrs. J. H. Fitzgerald, Mrs. Weldon Johnson, Mrs. Bill Ford, Mrs. Vera Perryman, Mrs. Jake Lawson, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Berry, Mrs. James Josey, Mrs. J. H. Embrey, Mrs. Hallmark, Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Jay Fitzgerald.



WALKS AGAIN—Mrs. Anna Williams of Wichita Falls, who has been confined to a wheel chair since 1951 as a result of an auto-train accident at Houston, walks again. Mrs. Williams said she contracted polio 20 months after the accident, paralyzing her from the waist down. She stands with her husband, Air Force Sergeant W. R. Williams after shoving aside her wheel chair.

Chuck Abbott Kills Vicious Rattlesnake

Charlie (Chuck) Abbott, connected with Humble Oil Company in the area, was displaying a regular "granddaddy" diamond-back rattlesnake in town Monday morning when he had killed on the Neal lease west of town.

The snake, which was five feet long, was one of the finest specimens seen in Hamlin. Eleven rattlers remained intact on the huge snake, with probably that many more having been broken off.

Chuck declares he and the snake had quite a round before the reptile was subdued with a chain.

Mrs. J. W. McCrary to Present Music Pupils

Music pupils of Mrs. J. W. McCrary are to be presented in recital Monday evening, beginning at 7:30 o'clock in the high school auditorium, it was announced this week.

The evening's program will feature piano and accordion numbers of classical, practice and popular numbers. The public is invited to attend.

Many people take no care of their money till they come nearly to the end of it, and others do just the same with their time.

Demonstration Given On Outdoor Cooking For Bluebird Leaders

An outdoor cooking demonstration was given at the Hamlin City Park Tuesday morning at 9:15 o'clock by Ray Davis, district Boy Scout executive of Stamford, for leaders of the Bluebirds of the Camp Fire Girls and others interested.

Nine different items were prepared, including coffee can casserole, superdoses, baked potatoes baked apples, Sunday dinner baked in foil wrapper, kabob and biscuits and "some mares."

The following Bluebird leaders and others were present and participated in the preparations: Mrs. Willard Maberry, Mrs. Irby Weaver, Mrs. Ray Johnson, Mrs. A. J. Hallmark, Mrs. Nelson Shave, Mrs. Delbert Rountree, Mrs. Elmer Hawkins, Mrs. Irma Wallace, Mrs. James Fitzgerald and Mrs. Weldon Johnson.

Davis also gave instructions on the proper way to make a bed-roll for outdoor camping.

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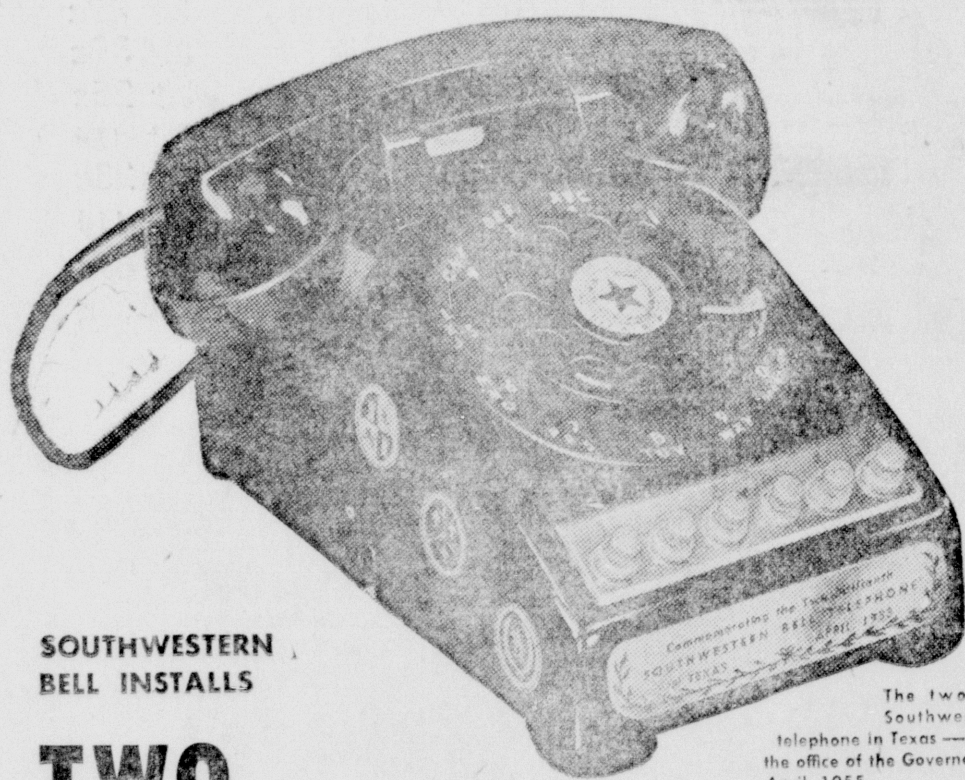
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This two millionth telephone is a far cry from the two telephones installed in 1878 connecting Col. A. H. Belo's office at the Galveston News with his nearby home.

Not quite eight years ago—in August, 1947—Southwestern Bell installed its one millionth telephone in Texas. Thus, we have added as many telephones in the past eight years as during the previous 69.

Yet, the big story is not in the number of telephones—but what the telephone means to the state and nation. As telephones are added, miles shrink and the range of the human voice overcomes time and distance.

Two million Southwestern Bell telephones in Texas form a bridge of understanding that strengthens the social and economic ties between all the people within and beyond the boundaries of the Lone Star State.

The growth of a telephone system within a state is a good indication of the state's progress and prosperity. For instance, in 1925

TEXAS TELEPHONE MILESTONES

- 1878—First telephones connect Col. A. H. Belo's office in the Galveston News with his home.
- 1879—First telephone exchange in Texas opened in Galveston.
- 1883—First long distance telephone line connects Galveston and Houston.
- 1899—First lift-the-receiver switchboard installed in Dallas.
- 1927—Telephone calls to Europe possible for Texans.
- 1929—Ship-to-shore telephone service started.
- 1938—Southwestern Bell's 500,000th telephone installed.
- 1946—First telephones in moving vehicles.
- 1947—Southwestern Bell installs one millionth telephone in Houston home of Mr. and Mrs. Gunter W. Kettler.
- 1952—Operator long distance dialing introduced.
- 1953—Customer long distance dialing possible from Harlingen to 13 Valley cities.
- 1955—Two millionth Southwestern Bell telephone installed.

Southwestern Bell served Texans with \$58 million in telephone property; by 1940 this had grown to \$139 million; and by 1955, the company served Texans with \$650 million in telephone plant. Because telephone growth is made possible by money invested by citizens in all walks of life, the two millionth Southwestern Bell telephone in Texas is a symbol of trust and confidence in the future of the state.

We are still growing and expanding with Texas—building more and better telephone equipment throughout the state . . . planning to meet the telephone needs of the future—whatever they may be.

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rear (in.)	34.2	35.9	34.0	34.6	34.9
Shoulder room, front (in.)	57.0	56.6	58.2	58.2	58.0
rear (in.)	56.8	56.4	56.7	56.7	57.8
Maximum trunk depth (in.)	48.9	48.4	46.0	46.0	55.0
Floor covering, front	Carpet	Rubber	Rubber	Rubber	Rubber
rear	Carpet	Carpet	Rubber	Rubber	Rubber
Foam-rubber seat cushions	YES	NO	NO	NO	Front Only
Two-stage front door checks	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO
Center-Fill Fueling	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO
Suspended brake and clutch pedals	YES	NO	NO	NO	YES
Horsepower, maximum (V-8)	182	180	188	185	175
Torque, maximum (lbs.-ft.)	268	264	256	320	240
Compression ratio (to 1)	8.5	8.0	8.4	8.5	7.6
18-mm. spark plugs	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO
Dual exhaust	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO
4-barrel carburetor	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO
Ball-joint front suspension	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO
Brake lining area (sq. in.)	192	178	185	192	174

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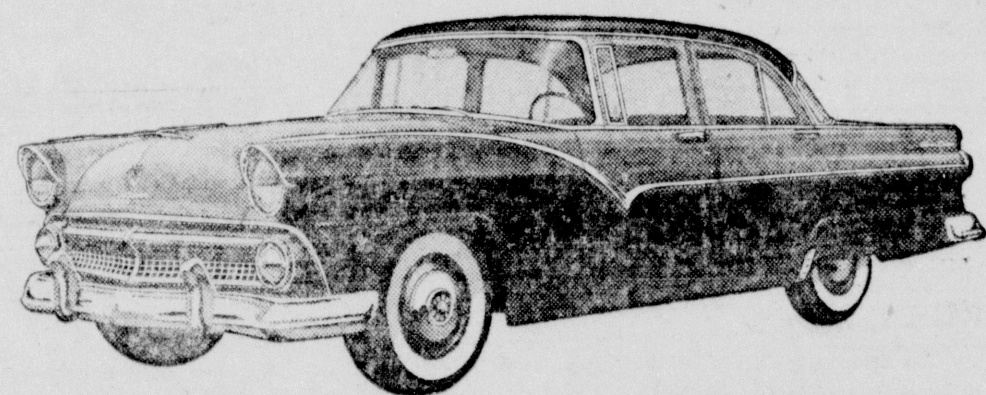
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Indian Lore Told to Rotary Group by Houston Walker

Attendees at the Wednesday noon luncheon of Hamlin Rotary Club were given a history lesson by Rev. Houston Walker, pastor of the First Baptist Church, when the civic group met at the oil mill guest house.

Walker is the son of a former trader with the Navajo Indians of New Mexico, where the family resided for many years. The Indian trader died recently at the age of 86, after spending nearly 50 years among the Indians, the minister declared.

Navajo Indians number between 55,000 and 65,000 and live on reservations of arid desert land in Arizona, New Mexico and Colorado. The tribes, which occupy homes called hogans, made of adobe, subsist principally on goat meat, bread and coffee, Walker declared.

Lavere Wilson, senior at Hamlin High School, was recognized as Junior Rotarian for the month of May.

Guests at the Wednesday noon luncheon were Hugo B. Haterius, W. M. Blackburn, Charles R. Hewett and J. W. Maddox of Stamford; Caleb Simmons of Sweetwater.

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BROWNELL VISITS SHIVERS—In an unpublished visit, Attorney General Herbert Brownell was guest for three days of Governor and Mrs. Allan Shivers at Magnolia Hills, the governor's country home near Woodville. Brownell (right) had been in Dallas to make a speech and afterwards went with the governor to his home for a week-end visit.

REPAIRED SLIGHTLY.

An antique collector, passing through a small village, stopped to watch an old man chopping wood with a very ancient ax.

"That's a mighty old ax you have there," remarked the collector.

"Yes," said the villager. "It once belonged to George Washington."

"Not really!" It certainly has stood up well.

"Of course," the old man said, "it's had three new handles and two new heads."

You're an old timer if you remember when a woman's skirts kept her shoes shined.

Dean of Jacksonville College Leads Revival At Calvary Church

Dr. W. J. Dorman, dean of the seminary at Jacksonville Baptist College, will do the preaching in an eight-day series of revival services opening Sunday at the Calvary Baptist Church, 753 South Central Avenue, near the McCaulley highway Y, according to W. C. Rea, pastor.

The services, being scheduled at 10:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. each day, will continue through Sunday, May 15.

Dr. Dorman, an outstanding Bible scholar of the denomination, is a forceful speaker and evangelist, declares Pastor Rea. The singing will be directed by Carl Campbell of Goree.

Prayer services are scheduled each evening at 7:00 o'clock, preceding the evening services.

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TEXANS IN WASHINGTON

By TEX EASLEY,
AP Washington Correspondent

Washington.—Two Texans are on teams the Defense Department sends out over the country to promote understanding and cooperation between the military and civilian segments of the economy.

They are Marine Colonel Guy H. Kissinger, who calls San Antonio home, and Air Force Colonel Henry D. Smith Jr. of Muleshoe. Kissinger is a 1938 A. & M. College graduate; Smith attended St. Mary's University at San Antonio.

They are on the faculty of the Industrial College of the Armed Forces, located here. Senior military officers and key civilian government employees take 10-month courses there.

The six-man teams to which the Texans belong have been assigned to conduct National Resources Conferences in eight cities.

Austin is one of the 16 U. S. cities where a conference will be held, the only one in Texas. There, in a 10-day period starting May 16, one team of instructors will try to present a condensed version of the 10-month course given here.

The conference is to be held in Batts Hall auditorium, at the University of Texas. Reserve Army, Navy, Air Force and Marine Corps officers, who will be called into active duty for that period, will be reserved 170 seats. The remainder of the 500 seats will be occupied by civilian leaders invited to attend.

Sponsor of the conference in Austin will be the Chamber of Commerce.

Colonel Kissinger, spading the ground for the May meeting, accepted an invitation to address an Armed Forces Association luncheon in Austin January 20.

Around the Capital:

One of the things first noticed by freshmen congressmen who served in the state Legislatures where automatic voting devices are used is that the old name calling system is still in use here.

Representative Jim Wright of Weatherford, who had served at Austin, made this observation in a weekly news letter.

"When a record vote is required, bells ring in all the offices, elevators are reserved for members, and the subway under the park to the capitol building is jammed with legislators scurrying for the House chamber to be tallied.

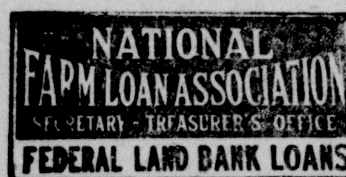
"This is the reason voting machines have never been installed in the U. S. Congress. The roll call takes 20 minutes, and this allows members time to come over from the office building and have their votes recorded."

On the House floor during President Eisenhower's state of the union address was former Representative John E. Lyle of Corpus Christi. He retired voluntarily to resume law practice in Texas. Lyle said he had come up primarily to see old friends and introduce his successor, Representative Joe Bell of Cuero.

James Doss, president of the Merchants and Farmers Bank at Weatherford, must admit there are a lot of efficient and honest folks around Washington.

Accompanied by Larry Blackmon, Mineral Wells contractor, he came up on business and decided to drop by the office of their new congressman, Jim Wright. The lawmaker was out, but one of his aides, Craig Raupe, took over and invited them to join him in a cup

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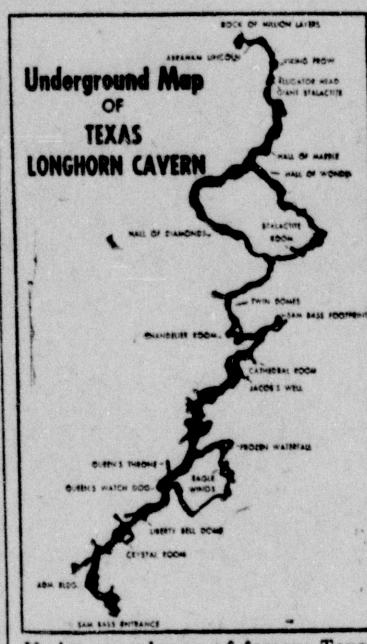
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Underground map of famous Texas Longhorn Cavern shows the two miles of subterranean passageways that have been opened to visitors and some of the amazing natural phenomena that make the cavern one of the most spectacular scenic wonders of Texas and the nation. The tremendous cavern, located in Longhorn Cavern State Park near Burnet, is the largest cave in Texas and the third largest in the world.

of coffee in the basement cafeteria.

Enjoying his coffee, Doss was surprised when a congressional secretary came up and informed him he could recover his billfold in the office of Representative Bob Poage of Waco. It was being held for him there by Poage's secretary, Lacey Sharp.

This is what happened: Doss had dropped it out of his pocket in one of the building corridors. A charwoman picked it up and noticed it belonged to someone from Texas. She went in the nearest Texas office, Poage's, and gave it to Sharp. He saw the owner was from Wright's district, and called that office to learn Doss had gone to the cafeteria.

The banker had not known of the loss.

Seventh graders in the Avenue D elementary school in Killean collected \$7 and sent it to Congressman Poage with the request he get them an American flag and have it flown over the U. S. capitol for a day—not an unusual request. Poage complied.

It is easy enough to buy things on time—the catch is to pay for them the same way.

Longhorn Cavern Near Burnet Rated as Third Largest in World and Most Unique

Numbers of Hamlin area people have already visited Texas Longhorn Cavern near Burnet, while still others are interested in including the cavern on their vacation menu for this summer.

The two miles of Texas Longhorn Cavern now open to the public and the six additional miles that have been explored hint at yet undiscovered marvels that may come to light if the subterranean vastness of the huge cave is ever thoroughly charted, in the opinion of qualified cave experts.

Longhorn Cavern, which is the third largest cave in the world in its present form, already can boast of a greater variety of natural phenomena than any of the other great caves of the world. Every one of the tremendous chambers and the passageways which connect them is different—due to the diversity of the rock layers through which the cavern was carved by an ancient river.

The Chandelier Room has grotesque stalactites hanging like weird chandeliers from the ceiling. In the Dome Room the ceiling is pitted with strange dome-like depressions. Crystallized calcite in the fabulous Hall of Diamonds makes the walls sparkle as though encrusted with precious gems. One long tunnel is reminiscent of the Catacombs of ancient Rome. Iron oxide gives a rich glowing red color to the walls in many parts of the cavern. The Main Room is 183 feet long and has had as many as 2,860 people in it at one time (and wasn't ever crowded).

In the section still closed to the public, two lower levels have been explored, one 185 feet below the surface and the other an eerie 310 feet deep. And the end has not yet been reached, even by the most enterprising bands of "spelunkers." As the cave experts say, no telling how much farther the cave goes, winding its way be-

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Hamlin Lions Plan to Go to Children's Camp

Investigation into arrangements and costs of a group trip by members of the Hamlin Lions Club to the Texas Lions Clubs' Chipped Children's Home at Kerrville soon is being made, according to officials of the local civic group.

Suggestion made by I. R. Hutchinson at the Tuesday luncheon of the Hamlin club that members inspect the unique vacation camp for cripples was taken with much interest. The investigation into costs of a trip, provisions for the local group having lunch at the camp and other details is being handled by club officials.

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May 11th and 12th—

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May 6th and 7th—

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Sunday and Monday,
May 8th and 9th—

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Tuesday, Wednesday and
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FOR SALE—1953 four-door Ford, like new.—See Tom Brady or phone 162. 1c

FOR SALE—Good used eight-foot Norge refrigerator; two slightly used 12x15 Gold Seal linoleum rugs; all worth the money. See me at Winn's Variety Store.—Mrs. E. K. Whittenburg. 1p

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF EQUALIZATION.

In obedience to the order of the Board of Equalization regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization for Jones County will be in session at its regular meeting place in the courthouse in the town of Anson, Jones County, Texas, at 9:00 a. m. on Thursday, the 19th day of May, 1955, for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property located in Jones County, Texas, for taxable purposes for the year 1955 and any and all persons interested or having business with said board are hereby notified to be present.—Gene Spurgin Jr., County Clerk, Jones County, Anson, Texas, this 5th day of May, 1955. 1c

Mechanical Condition of Car Determines Much of Safety of Operation for Owner

"In a tight traffic situation, your life may depend on the efficiency of your car. Have your car checked regularly for safe handling, Hamlin area motorists are advised by E. C. McFadden, president of the Texas Safety Association, as he urged them to keep their vehicles in good mechanical repair by periodical safety checks, as recommended by the Texas Safety Association, Department of Public Safety and the National Safety Council.

"It's foolish to trust to luck when it's so simple to find out the true condition of your car," McFadden said.

McFadden suggested the 10-point check program recommended by Texas Safety Association, Department of Public Safety and National Safety Council, which uses the following standards:

1. Brakes should take hold evenly on all wheels. The hand brake should be able to hold the car on any hill. Brake fluid should be clean and at the proper level.
2. Headlights should be at the proper level for maximum illumination and minimum glare. Lenses should be clear and reflectors bright.
3. Rear and stop lights should operate properly. Directional signals should also be checked.
4. Tires should be checked for wear and proper inflation.



MRS. TEXAS—Mrs. James Gunn of El Paso, a pretty blue-eyed brunette, won the "Mrs. Texas of 1956" title in a contest which judged ability as a homemaker at Austin. She will represent the Lone Star State in the "Mrs. America 1956" contest which will be held in Florida.

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6. Exhaust system and muffler should be checked.

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Hamlin Memorial Hospital

Patients admitted to the Hamlin Memorial Hospital since last week's report in The Herald have included: Mrs. Bill Simmons of Roby, medical, April 26; Jimmy Simmons, medical, April 27; Mrs. Clarence Miller, medical, April 26; Danny Cary, medical, April 26; Mrs. Jack Russell, surgery, April 27; Mrs. Bertha Lawson of Austin, medical, April 28; Danny Warner, medical, April 28; Kenneth Whitehurst of Hawley, surgery, April 27; Mrs. Lewis Woolf, medical, April 28; Douglas Ford surgery, April 29; V. M. Jean, medical, April 28; Jesse Stanford, medical, April 28; Pat Decker of Roby, medical, April 27; C. A. Gray of Sylvester, medical, April 28; J. C. Peters of Roby, medical, April 29; Rev. Woodrow McHugh, medical, April 29; Janice Ueckert, surgery, April 29; Mrs. E. L. Boils, medical, April 29; Rex Beauchamp of Roby, surgery, April 29; Bob Meeks, medical, April 29; Mrs. Jesse Stanford, medical, April 30; Mrs. Ida Nichols, medical, April 30; Mrs. G. M. Bond, medical, April 30; Jimmy McElyea of Sylvester, surgery, May 1; Mrs. J. H. Lawlis of McCauley, medical, May 2; M. H. Castleberry, medical, May 2; Mrs. J. T. Johnson, medical, May 2; Jess Parrish, medical, May 2; Harry Stacy, medical, May 1; Mrs. Emma Collum of Aspermont, medical, May 1; Fred Kidwell, medical, May 3; Mrs. Victor Rangle of Rotan, ob, May 3; J. O. Parker, medical, May 3; Justin Rowland, medical, May 3.

Patients Dismissed—Mrs. E. C. Smith of Sylvester, April 27; Mrs. A. D. Hardy of Sylvester, April 28; Tommy Hood of Sylvester, April 23; Mrs. J. W. Bevels, April 30; Mrs. John Brown Jr., May 2; Yolanda Orona, April 26; Mrs. Tom Holman, April 29; Mrs. Bill Maddox, April 26; Mrs. L. E. Hines, April 26; Mrs. Ned Ward of Aspermont, April 29; Dean Witt, April 29; Mrs. Jesse Stanford, April 30; G. W. Martin, April 28; Rita Maynard, April 27; Mrs. Wayland Woolf, April 28; Homer Raney, April 29; Evelyn Kidwell, May 1; Mrs. Blake Davis of Aspermont, April 29; Mrs. Bill Simmons of Roby, April 29; Jimmy Simmons, April 29; Mrs.

7. Windshield wipers should be operating with blades checked to see if they "live" and clean.
8. Glass should be clear, free of cracks or discolorations.
9. Horn should be working properly.
10. Rear-view mirror should give a clear view of the road behind.



DIES OF ATTACK—David Rasco, managing editor of the Amarillo Globe-Times and Daily News, died at his home of a heart attack at the age of 37. He had been on the newspaper since 1937. Rasco had been managing editor since 1951, and managing editor of the afternoon Globe-Times since last May.

Lovely flowers are the smiles of God's goodness—William Wilberforce.

Then there is the fellow who gets a bang out of his hobby—he builds cannons.

Jack Johnson was the last negro heavyweight boxing champion before Joe Louis.

None preaches better than the ant, and she says nothing.—Benjamin Franklin.

Bachelor: A man who would rather have a girl on his mind than on his neck.

To ask wisdom of God is the beginning of wisdom.—Mary Baker Eddy.

One-half the world tries to prevent his better-half from knowing how he lives.

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All-Day Meeting to Climax Sunset Revival

As a climax to the eight-day series of revival services being conducted at the Sunset Missionary Baptist Church, across the street east of Hamlin Junior High School, an all-day gathering is set for Sunday, according to Mrs. J. B. Seifres, church clerk.

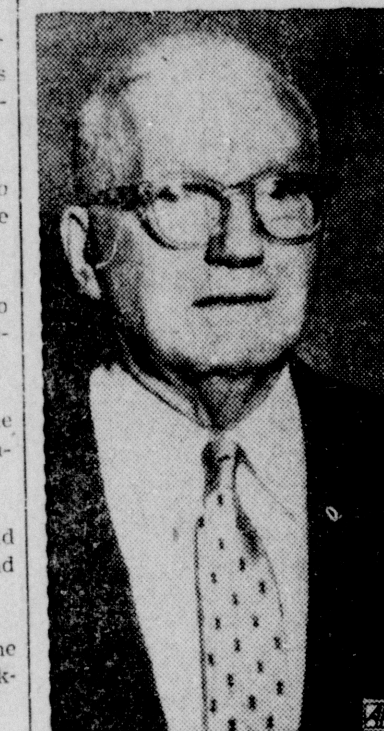
Attendants will bring basket lunches to the church, and dinner will be spread for the noon meal. The public is invited to attend the Sunday services and the dinner.

E. S. Shepperd of Jacksonville, former Hamlin pastor, is doing the preaching in the meeting that opened last Sunday and continues through Sunday evening.

Some people live by their wits—others by the lack of other people's wits.

Lives there a man with head so hard—he won't stop driving when he's tard.

Actions speak louder than words—but many people attempt to shout actions down.



PRACTITIONER—Dr. Robert W. Holton of Terrell (above) was named General Practitioner of the year by the Texas Medical Association. Dr. Holton has practiced in Kaufman County for 54 years.

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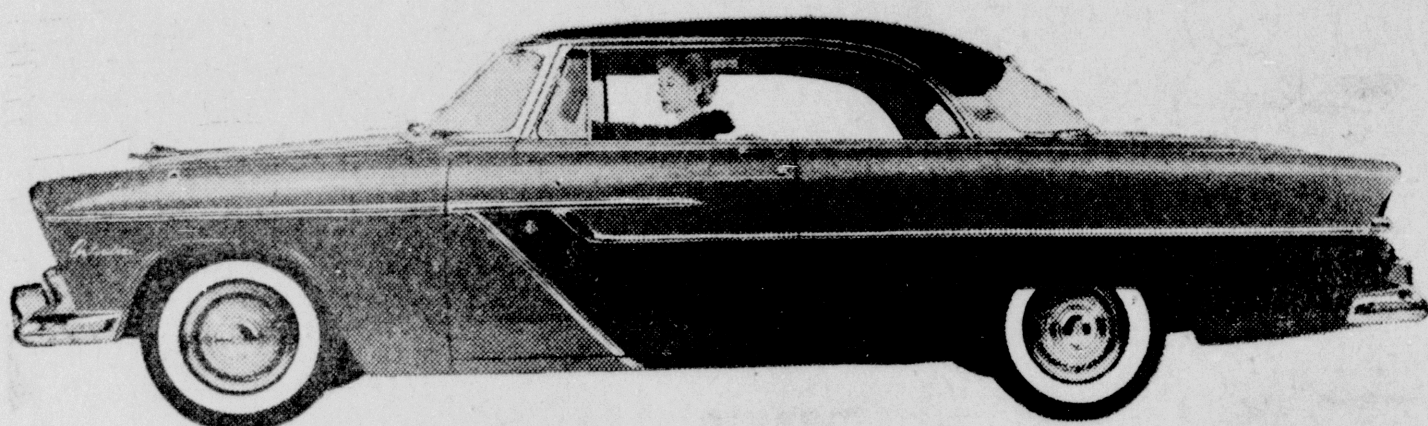


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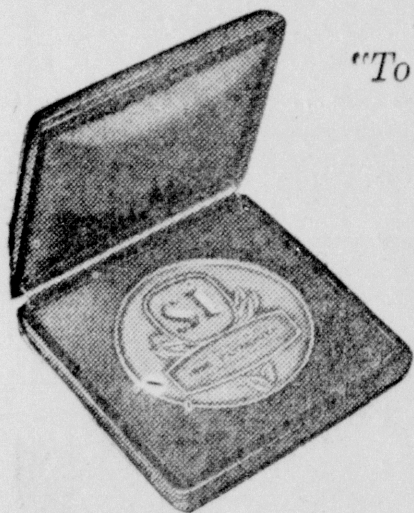
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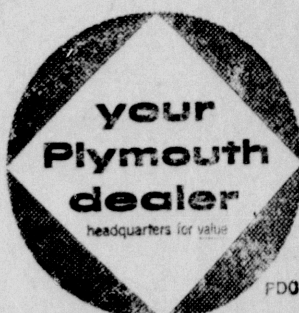
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Slight Increase in Cash Income of Farmers Tabulated

Texas farmers have experienced a slight increase in cash income, but the index of prices they received has fallen, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reports in a release to The Herald.

January-February cash income totalled slightly more than \$248,200,000, a gain of one per cent over the \$245,000,000 registered for the same period last year. An \$8,000,000 rise in revenue from cattle (from \$41,000,000 to \$49,000,000 or 20 per cent) accounted primarily for the overall increase.

Other income increases were registered for sheep and lambs, up 44 per cent; and wheat, up 37 per cent. Decreases included cotton, down five per cent from \$99,400,000 to \$96,200,000; peanuts, down 47 per cent; and eggs, down 178 per cent.

The bureau also reported the index of prices received by Texas farmers and ranchers for all products totalled 266 in mid-March, four points below mid-February and five points below March a year ago. The index shows that nearly every commodity decreased from mid-February to mid-March. Exceptions were lambs, chickens and citrus fruit, the only commodities showing an increase.

The index of livestock and livestock products stood at 283 on March 15, a drop of five points from February 15, 1955, and 17 points lower than March, 1954. The crop index was 253, a decline of three points from the middle of February.

Meanwhile, the bureau said the number of calves born in Texas during 1954, estimated at 4,259,000 head, was one per cent above the 4,211,000 head born in 1953, and is the largest on record.

Trouble lies ahead for the person who decides he is a little too good for his job.

Self confidence: What a person has who does a crossword puzzle with a fountain pen.

Modern art proves the old saying that things are seldom as bad as they are painted.

The Hawaiian Islands were formerly the Sandwich Islands.

Life may not begin at 40, but that's when it begins to show.



MOTHER PRAYS FOR BLIND TRIPLETS TO SEE—This little West Texas town, Hart, burst with pride when its first triplets—Don, Lon and Jon Sitton—were born nine months ago and then turned to sorrow when it learned they were blind. Nobody has given the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sitton, much hope that the boys will ever see normally. Doctors say the triplets were afflicted with a disease of the blood vessels in premature infants. "But I haven't lost hope," said Mrs. Sitton, shown above with the boys. "I keep praying." Because they are blind, their sense of balance is not yet too acute and they can't sit alone. Otherwise they are husky and frisky.

Alton Kite Honored At McMurry College For Outstanding Work

A Hamlin student at McMurry College in Abilene was one of two students given special recognition for achievement in the college's business administration department. Alton Kite was the Hamlin student.

The recognitions were made by Dr. Andrew C. Rockover, department chairman. The young men were selected for the honors by Dr. Rockover and other professors of the department.

Kite, a junior, is a graduate of Hamlin High School. He participated in football, basketball and baseball at Hamlin. Before going to McMurry, he attended Cisco Junior College and served two years in the Army. He was discharged in September, 1953, as a second lieutenant. Kite is majoring in business and minoring in government at McMurry.

Santa Fe Carloadings For Week Above 1954

Santa Fe Railway System carloadings for week ending April 30, 1955, were 24,397 compared with 19,728 for the same week in 1954. Cars received from connections totalled 13,182 compared with 11,740 for the same week in 1954. Total cars moved were 37,589 compared with 31,468 for the same week in 1954. Santa Fe handled a total of 36,951 cars in the preceding week of this year.

The man who continually boasts about his principles usually means his prejudices.

Stephen Day set up the first printing press in the U. S. in 1638.

Example has more followers than reason.—Christian Bovee.

There are only four perceptible tastes—sweet salt, bitter and sour.

IT'S THE LAW IN TEXAS

A Public Service Feature of the State Bar of Texas

(This column, based on Texas law, is written to inform—not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who knows the facts, because the facts may change the application of the law.)

STATUTORY COPYRIGHT LAW EXPLAINED.

Copyrights are of two types: Common Law and Statutory. In general, the common law copyright protects unpublished works, and the statutory copyright protects published works. The following discussion applies to published works and the statutory copyright.

The United States copyright statutes give to authors, composers and artists the exclusive right to their published works for a period of 28 years. During that time others are prohibited from copying or reprinting such works without permission of the copyright owner. Statutory copyrights are renewable once for a second 28 years.

Works that may be protected under our copyright laws include books (not only bound volumes, but also pamphlets, leaflets and even single sheets); periodicals (newspapers, magazines, reviews, bulletins, proceedings of societies, serial publications, etc., which appear at regular intervals of less than a year); contributions to periodicals; lectures, sermons or addresses prepared for oral delivery; musical compositions and dramatic or dramatic musical compositions.

Also maps; works of art; models or signs for works of art; pub-

lished three dimensional works of art; reproductions of works of art; drawings or plastic works of scientific or technical character; photographs; prints and pictorial illustrations including prints (advertisements) or labels used for articles of merchandise; motion picture photoplays; and motion pictures other than photoplays.

The principal steps to be taken in securing a statutory copyright include: (1) Properly marking the work with a notice of copyright; (2) publishing the work; and then (3) filing with the Register of Copyrights in Washington an application for registration of the copyright. A relatively small fee and a specified number of copies of the work must accompany the application.

It should be noted that the marking must precede publication and that both of these steps must precede the filing of the application.

Failure to incorporate the notice of copyright before publication or to set it up in proper form or to place it in the proper place on the works will result in abandonment to the public of claimant's rights. He will lose his copyright. Requirements vary in respect to the form of the notice, and the place on the works at which it should appear—depending on the nature of the works, whether they are published or unpublished, and other factors.

On some works it is mandatory that the notice contain the word "Copyright" or the abbreviation "Copr."; on certain other works, the letter "C" enclosed within a circle may be used instead. On some works the notice must include the year in which the work was first published.

In every notice the copyright claimant must be identified. In some cases the full name of the claimant is required; in others

THESE WOMEN!

By d'Alessio



"Oh, give her any excuse... tell her I'm busy, or something!"

the initials or monogram or an identifying mark or symbol is sufficient. The name or mark may be that of the creator of the work or of one to whom the copyright has been assigned.

Here is an example to show the effect of a copyright: A copyright on a map of Texas does not preclude another from publishing a map of Texas, provided he gets his information from original sources. The copyright does preclude another from copying the map protected by copyright. Further, the copyright law does not normally protect titles as such, nor abstract ideas, but rather the copyright grants the right to preclude others from copying an expression of an abstract idea.

AVAILABLE.

Young Man—"So this Nellie is your oldest sister? Who comes after her?"

Little Brother—"Nobody ain't come yet, but Pa says the first fellow that comes can have her."

The first great gift we can bestow on others is a good example.—Sir Charles Morrell

The Mormon Church was founded in 1830 by Joseph Smith in Fayette, New York.

To cultivate a garden is to walk with God.—Christian Bovee.

A ship weighs the same or less than the water it displaces.

Blue Panic Plantings In Area Looking Good Despite Recent Freeze

Blue panic grass is looking good this year despite the out-of-season freeze we have just had, report leaders of the California Creek Soil Conservation District.

Before the freeze, blue panic grass was up to the height of six inches, a good three weeks before Johnson grass greened out. Even now, since the freeze, it is back up to 10 inches and in most cases these blue panic grass patches have had stock on them for several weeks.

When you are in the Hamlin area, stop by the Willard Maberry, Jerry Maberry or Willie Maberry farms; in the Sagerton area, the B. Kupatt or M. D. Thompson farms; in the Stamford and Avoca area, the E. W. Carlson, Hiram E. Olson or B. O. Youngquist farms and see the good growth and grazing provided by blue panic grass.

For further information, farmers and ranchers are invited to contact the Soil Conservation Service technicians assisting the California Creek Soil Conservation District.

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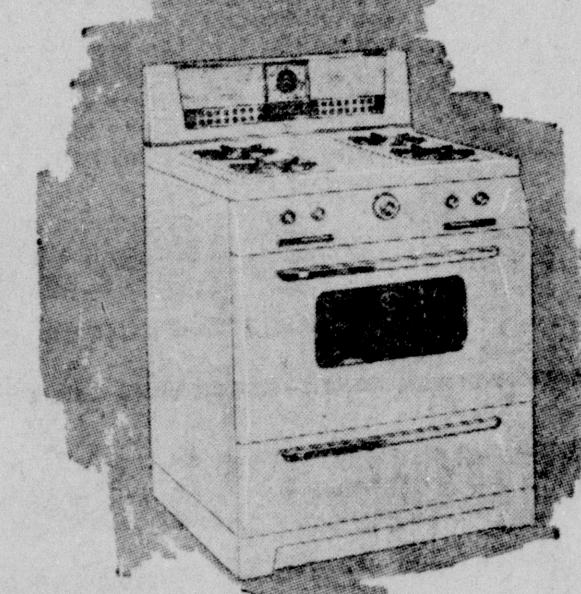
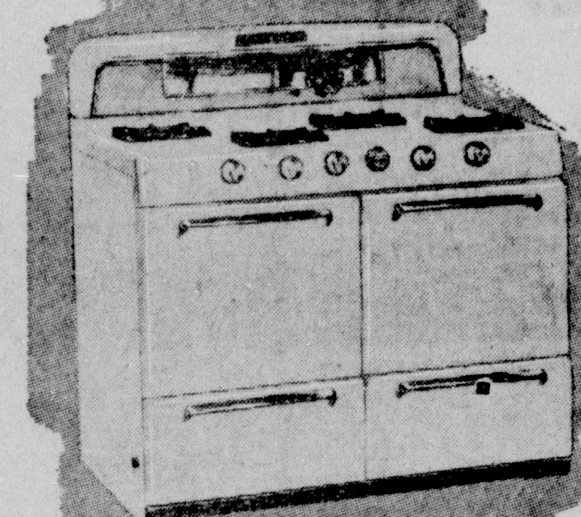


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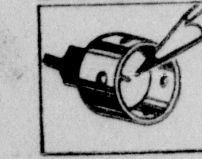
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Congressman Burleson Agrees With President That Battlefronts to Be Quiet

Congressman Omar Burleson, in his regular weekly news release, "Washington: As It Looks from Here," this week discusses the world peace situation. He says: For the first time in a quarter of a century now there is no major shooting war in the world—the first time since Japan's war machine rolled over Manchuria. On the other hand, there are places of high sensitivity which could set off a conflict at any time. Past experiences show that wars are started by miscalculations. History shows that both World War I and World War II may not have occurred if the intentions of the Western powers had been realized. The same was true of the Korean War.



Syngman Rhee has said, "Those who will not learn from history will be required to repeat it." Eisenhower's popularity is no doubt largely due to keeping us out of war. His future popularity may depend upon a continuing peace.

A retired general, whose predictions have been brilliant, tells me he sees quiet on the battlefront for the next several years. We all hope, of course, he is right.

There are a number of reasons why we may be persuaded to share the general's views. First, we have never been better prepared for war than we are right now.

Second, Russia has many internal problems which she will need to solve before starting an all-out war.

Third, Red China cannot hope to succeed in a major war without the backing of Russia.

Fourth, the Russian Bear and the Chinese Dragon are not very comfortable bed-fellows. They live in the same house, but do not go out together.

Fifth, a fair balance of power has been reached in Europe. If Nehru of India should emerge as the leader of the "third force" in Asia there may be a prospect of a balance of power in that part of the world.

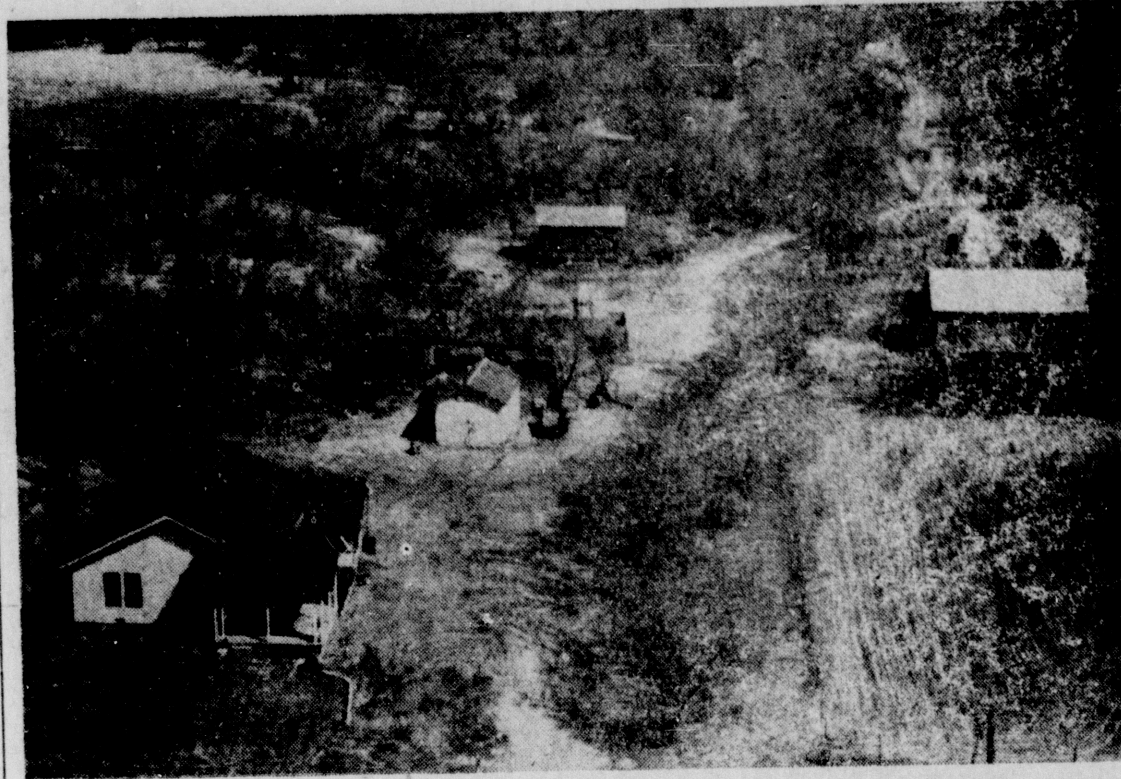
Some high-powered officials in the administration want to include only the purchase price and accrued interest of government bonds in the public debt. They do not want to include the maturity value, which makes it look considerably worse.

Probably the best way to make the national debt look better is to consider that as of June 30, 1954, the last inventory date, the United States government owned \$66,000,000,000 of personal property in military warehouses ready for issue.

In addition to this value of military supplies, the government owns \$48,500,000,000 in other personal property.

Although there is no government-wide inventory of real property, federal investment, exclusive of the public domain, is estimated at \$40,000,000,000. Not only do these figures not include land in the public domain, but it does not include surplus farm commodities and stockpiles of strategic materials. It might be said that the federal government is solvent insofar as its debts are concerned when these tremendous values are added up, but there is a catch to it. Some of this property is "surplus" or "excess," which means that if it is not used but disposed of, the government usually receives about five to seven per cent of the acquisition cost.

Speaking of surplus farm products, the Department of Agriculture reports that it has disposed abroad of \$145,000,000 worth in the past two years. Pending deals are supposed to move another



LAST WEEK'S MYSTERY FARM PICTURE (above) was correctly identified first by Mrs. Lonnie Parsons of Sylvester as the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Mayo, six and one-half miles southwest of Hamlin. The Mayos have occupied the place since 1923. Cotton and feed crops are the chief crops cultivated by the Mayos, who have practiced good soil conservation practices through cooperation with the California Creek Soil Conservation District. They have two children, both of whom have families of their own.

Safety First Rule for Bicyclists Urged In Drive to Combat Mounting Accidents

"Luck runs out, but safety is good for life," E. C. McFadden of Dallas, new president of the Texas Safety Association, told Texas bicyclists this week.

McFadden spoke in connection with the child pedestrian and bicycle safety program being sponsored state-wide by his organization and the State Department of Public Safety in cooperation with the National Safety Council.

"The phrase, 'Safety is good for life,' has a double meaning," McFadden said. "First, safety never becomes useless or obsolete—it lasts a lifetime. And second, practicing safety can mean the difference between life and death to bicyclists."

"National Safety Council statistics for 1953," he said, "show that 360 bicyclists under the age of 15 were killed in motor vehicle accidents. About 26,000 bicyclists in the same age group were injured. Of those killed, half were riding in cities, and half in rural areas."

"It doesn't seem possible to over-emphasize the serious threat

to life and limb that bicycle riding can be to those who are reckless or careless," McFadden said. He listed eight rules for safe riding. They are:

1. Ride with traffic, and keep to the far right.
2. Do not weave or stunt. Ride in a straight line.
3. When with friends, ride in single file.
4. Put books and packages in a carrier attached to the bicycle, and never carry passengers on your bike.
5. In traffic, obey all applicable, signs, signals and traffic laws.
6. Never hitch on to a passing truck, automobile or any vehicle.
7. If you must ride at night have a good light and a rear reflector.
8. Keep your bicycle in good condition.

West Texas in Worst Drouth Shape in Years

John White, state commissioner of agriculture, who recently made a survey through West Texas, declared in Austin this week that, "Much of the land in West Texas is in far worse shape now than at any time in history."

He said conditions in the drouth area are worse than in the "dust bowl" era of the 1930s. Much of the West Texas territory has had less than an inch of rain this year. Hamlin has received 3.38 inches.

It would appear that the family tree of some confidence men must be a slippery elm.

Ralph Waldo Emerson said, "Every man I meet is in some way my superior; and in that I can learn from him."

\$350,000,000 in surplus foods in 1955.

To emphasize the importance of women and young people in politics, a political speaker recently said, "Take the word 'family.' Strike out the 'm' for 'mother' and the 'y' for 'youth'—what you have left is 'fail'."

Sylvester Woman First to Identify Mystery Picture

Mrs. Lonnie Parsons of Sylvester was the first to correctly identify last week's mystery farm picture, No. 15 in the series of aerial views of Hamlin area farm and ranch scenes being printed in The Herald as an interest feature. She will receive a one-year subscription to Your Home Town Paper.

The mystery farm picture was of the place of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Mayo, six and one-half miles southwest of Hamlin.

The place was purchased by the Mayos 32 years ago. It was originally known as the Reaves place, having been settled by that family about 1906.

Since purchasing the farm in 1923, the Mayos have built a new home, in 1945, and added other farm structures. An addition 40 acres of farm land has also been added to the original place by the family.

Cotton has been the principal crop on the Mayo place for years, with wheat, maize and kaffir corn supplementing the major cash crop. Using modern farming methods, the place has been terraced and contoured for a number of years in an effort to utilize the water. He is a member of the California Creek Soil Conservation District.

Mr. and Mrs. Mayo are members of the Baptist Church. They have two children, Mrs. Myrna Bell Fairley of Albuquerque, New Mexico, and B. A. Mayo of Grand Prairie.

BALANCE CAN WAIT. A company received an anonymous letter enclosing a \$50 check. "This is money I stole from you. Haven't had a good night's sleep since."

At the bottom of the letter was a P. S. . . . "If I still can't sleep . . . will send the balance."

Asked if a year of college had made any difference in his eldest son, a farmer replied:

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Question.—I am going to night school under the World War II school under the World War II. I told me I will have to take an unexpected two-month trip to call on customers. Because of the trip, I will have to interrupt my course. Will I be permitted to resume it under the GI bill after I return?

Answer.—Yes. Temporary interruptions, because of unexpected circumstances related to your job, are permitted under the GI bill. If they extend for more than four months, however, you will have to show VA it was impossible for you to resume training within four months.

Q.—I intend to convert my World War II GI term insurance policy to a permanent plan. What will VA consider as my age, for purposes of premium rates—my past birthday or my birthday to come?

A.—Your age will be considered as your birthday nearest the effective date of your permanent plan insurance.

Q.—As a Korean veteran, may I join with a non-veteran in obtaining a GI business loan?

A.—Yes. But VA's guarantee will be based only on that amount of the loan which represents your interest. The guarantee cannot extend to the portion of the loan representing the non-veteran's contribution to the enterprise.

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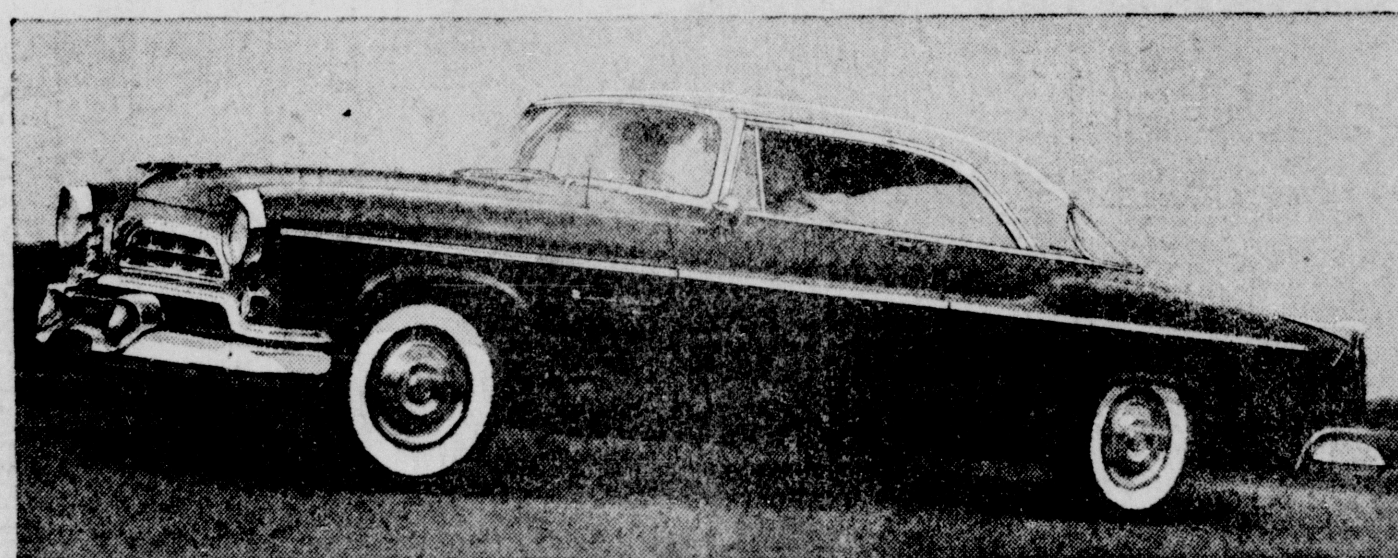
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